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TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 47 deg.; clear; no frost.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; light north wind; possibly frost.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; light northwest wind.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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PILOT COMMISSION.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—The Senate Committee on Commerce and Navigation will begin an investigation of the charges against the State Pilot Commission tomorrow afternoon at o'clock. Senator Emmons, the author of the resolution providing for the investigation, has been made a member of the committee. The Pilot Commissioners were notified tonight by telegraph of the time of the meeting.

The Assembly Committee on Education reached a favorable decision tonight on the bill providing that school bonds may run for forty years. A bill adding the Governor and the Superintendent of Public Instruction to the Board of Normal Schools Trustees was also recommended. Favorable decisions were reached on the bills providing that an accumulation of more than $10,000 in State school funds may be invested in municipal and school district bonds.

ATTEMPT TO DEFEAT HIS RENOMINATION.

Possible Outcome of the President's Courageous Attitude.

Sensational Disclosures Continue With Respect to the Rockefeller Telegrams—Member of the Senate, a Member of the House and One of the Highest Officials of the Government Involved.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The sensation over the receipt of telegrams from Rockefeller by United States Senators shows indications of becoming more complicated, and of encompassing within its bounds an attempt to defeat the President for a renomination. It developed today that a member of the Senate, a member of the House, and one of the highest officials of the government have been concerned in an attempt to have the Nelson amendment, providing for publicity of trust operations, sidetracked, and an amendment prepared by the Standard Oil attorneys substituted therefor. This attempt was made last week, and proof of it may be forthcoming presently in an official investigation by Congress.

It is absolutely certain tonight that four United States Senators received Rockefeller telegrams. Their names are held in the strictest confidence by those who know about them, but no secret is made of the fact that they have been received.

An attempt was made last night and today to show that the whole business was a hoax devised by the President to call the attention of the country to his determination to get anti-trust legislation through Congress. The Times correspondent can state absolutely that the President had absolutely nothing to do with the story, except to say that if any such attempt were made and were to be successful, he would call an extra session of Congress to enact anti-trust legislation.

OTHER PARTICULARS.

SPEAKER IS IMPLICATED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The ... anti-trust legislation, which ... out by the Associated Press Saturday night, has not greatly surprised those who have recently talked with the President. They have heard him frequently say that he knew these interests were working against his anti-trust plans. They were surprised, however, at the method of making the matter public, and the almost official nature of the statement given out Saturday night, and which, by public men, is now generally believed to have emanated from the White House with the consent of the authorities there.

The same story could have been written several days previously, but for certain restrictions that are always placed on confidential information obtained at the White House. For some time the President has been of the opinion that the Standard Oil Company was opposing his anti-trust legislation, and men who hold close social and confidential relations with him have been openly charging certain prominent men with the desire to yield to the wishes of the Standard Oil people. One of the men thus mentioned is W. B. Henderson, speaker of the House of Representatives; in fact, these accusations against public men have been traveling thick and fast, not only Senators and Representatives falling under the ban of these allegations, but several of the great newspapers of the country being charged with being unduly influenced by these great corporate interests.

Senator Aldrich and Senator Kean visited the White House this morning and had long talks with the President. Senator Aldrich's interview must have been a very pressing one, for the Rhode Island man went to the White House before eating his breakfast. A prominent Senator was asked today whether Rockefeller had sent a telegram to him. He said:

"I certainly did not get one from him, and I am willing to make a good-sized bet that not a member of the Senate received a bona fide dispatch from John D. Rockefeller. Of course, the Standard Oil Company has opposed the publicity feature of the Department of Commerce Bill. It has made no concealment of this fact, and its attitude is thoroughly justifiable.

"I will explain the situation so that there may be no misunderstanding in regard to the matter. The Standard Oil Company sells a great deal of American oil in Europe. Its chief rival in the foreign field is Russia. The attorneys of the company, in looking over the publicity feature of the Department of Commerce Bill decided that if it went through in its present form, it would strike an unnecessary and severe blow to the foreign business of the company; that it would give information to its foreign rivals that might enable them to compete successfully against it, for, of course, in order to get trade abroad, the company sometimes has to sell cheaper than in the United States.

"When the commerce bill was under consideration in the Senate the Standard Oil Company made no opposition to it. It was only recently that its attorneys decided that the paragraph referred to would menace the interests of the company. The directors of the corporation sent one or two of their attorneys to Washington in order to have them explain the objectionable feature to the Senators and Representatives. But no secret was made of this proposition, and the company merely did what any other corporation would have done and would have been legally justified in doing.

"On the day the alleged Rockefeller dispatches were supposed to have been sent, John D. Archibald, one of the leading attorneys of the company, was in Washington. As is universally known, the President has been much in earnest all along in his determination to have some sort of legislation to restrain the aggression and oppression of the trusts. His friends now say that the disclosure of improper influences by the Standard Oil Company and other great corporations to defeat legislation makes it absolutely necessary that the legislation proposed by the President shall be enacted at this session, or otherwise it is imperative in the interests of the Republican party that he assemble the next Congress in immediate extraordinary session for anti-trust legislation. It is now a question, they say, of Republicans preserving the integrity of the Republican party."

OFFICIALS SHUT UP.

WILL NOT BE INTERVIEWED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The officials of the Standard Oil Company shut themselves up today in their offices, and were not to be interrogated as to the truth or falsity of the report that the telegrams signede by John D. Rockefeller, urging the defeat of the Nelson amendment had been sent to several United States Senators. Mr. Rockefeller himself, who last night declined either to affirm or deny the truth of the report, was not at his office, and it was announced that he "would not be down today." The attorney ...

... Standard Oil Company, it was pointed out today that no other method would have availed, as the Nelson publicity amendment was before the Conference Committee of the House of Representatives and it may have been considered imperative that the Senators should be communicated with at once.

WALL STREET TALK.

The Littlefield Trust Bill, as passed by the House, was the subject of much discussion in Wall street today. Corporation interests generally favored the view that the measure was not very harmful, and that it provided about the least objectionable scheme of trust supervision yet devised. In discussing the probable effect of the measure, John S. Parker, general counsel for the United States Corporation Trust Company, made the point that the bill demanded scarcely anything more than the stock-exchange authority already required. He added:

"The information required would be chiefly useful to stockholders alone, as, so far as the general public is concerned, I cannot see how it would benefit them. Everything depends upon what the Interstate Commerce Commission intends to do. To make the scheme effective, the commission should be empowered to call for special statements of a corporation's condition in addition to the December 31 exhibit which may be called for. In fact, nearly all information required in the bill has already been given to the industrial commission. The main provisions are, to my mind, absolutely harmless, and will not inconvenience the corporate interests in the least. The bill will not, in my judgment, have any lasting effect."

This view was expressed in other quarters as well. Wall street viewed the "Rockefeller telegram incident" in various ways. Some quarters believed it to be authentic, and that such a dispatch had been really sent, while other interests expressed the belief that the use of Rockefeller's name was unauthorized, and that no such efforts to defeat the bill had been made.

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE.

TRUST LEGISLATION DISCUSSED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The President had a conference at the White House tonight with a number of leading members of the House of Representatives for the purpose of discussing trust legislation. The members present included Chairman Cannon of the Appropriations Committee, Messrs. Payne, Dalzell and Grosvenor of the Ways and Means Committee, Messrs. Jenkins and Powers of Massachusetts, and Overstreet of the Judiciary Committee. Consideration was given to the Department of Commerce Bill, as agreed on by the Congressional conferees, and to the Elkins Railroad Bill, as well as to the Littlefield anti-trust measure just passed by the House.

The President is anxious to have legislation with reference to trusts at this session round out into efficient and harmonious whole, and for this reason went over the several measures with the Representatives of the House. Reference was made to the publicity features of the new Department of Commerce Bill, and to the fact that the Elkins measure contains, so far as railroads are concerned, prohibitory provisions as to rebates and discriminations.

FOR ELASTIC CURRENCY.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Senator Aldrich today introduced a bill authorizing banks which are national depositories to deposit for the safeguarding of the government other securities than government bonds. The intention of the bill is to give greater elasticity to the currency and permit of the release of larger volumes of government funds in times of stringency. In ... given authority to determine the proportions of the various securities that he will accept, and also to, at any time, require additional security. The banks are required to pay interest on the government funds in their keeping at a rate of not less than 1½ per cent.; and the deposits are payable on demand. The bill also makes the bonds to be issued on account of the Panama Canal eligible for use as securities for bank notes. The payment of one-quarter of 1 per cent. every six months on such of its notes as are based on the canal bonds also is required.

Another provision of the bill authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to retain in the general fund of the treasury national-bank notes received in the ordinary course of business or presented to the Treasurer of the United States, and pay out such of them as may be fit for circulation for any of the obligations of the government, excepting only the principal and interest on the public debt.

BRITAIN'S MONARCHS.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The King and Queen returned from London to Windsor tonight.

GUATEMALA WARS ON SISTER STATES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Daily Mail this morning publishes a dispatch from Guatemala, declaring that war has been proclaimed between Guatemala on one side and San Salvador and Honduras on the other.

NEWS NOT EXPECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Although it was recognized here that the feeling between several of the Central American republics was at a high tension because of the political conditions existing there, yet the officials here were not prepared for reports that war had been declared.

No later than Saturday last, Señor Lopez, the Salvadorean Minister, had reassuring advices from his government which indicated that the people were at peace. Secretary Hay has been exerting his influences merely, however, in the capacity of a good however, in the capacity of a good friend, to prevent any general outbreak of hostilities in Central America. The United States will soon have naval representation on the Pacific Coast, as Admiral Glass is about to leave San Francisco with his squadron for Amapala Island.

SITUATION SHAPED UP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to previous dispatches from Panama, Guatemala and Salvador were on the point of war at the beginning of this month.

The Salvadorean and Guatemalan armies, commanded by the respective Presidents, Gens. Regalado and Cabera, were on the frontier, accompanied by revolutionary refugees. Troops were constantly leaving the capital of Salvador, San Salvador, for the Guatemalan frontier. Nicaraxua was actively helping Gen. Regalado, President of Salvador. The Nicaraguan gunboat Momotombo had landed at Acajutla, Salvador, 1500 rifles and 300,000 rounds of ammunition which President Zelaya of Nicaragua had sent for Guatemala revolutionists. Honduras also was said to be active with Salvador and Nicaragua in opposition to Guatemala.

It seemed the movement, according to the Panama dispatches, was the outcome of the congress of the Central American republics at Corinto, Nicaragua, last year, at which a treaty was drawn up and subsequently signed providing for arbitration of every disagreement between the republics. While the Congress was being held, a serious misunderstanding occurred between Regalado of Salvador and President Cabera of Guatemala. It was announced from San José, Costa Rica, October 4, that the Central American court of compulsory arbitration had been installed there, but that Guatemala had refused to participate.

The movement on the part of Salvador, Nicaragua and Honduras was reported to be aimed against Guatemala, owing to her attitude at the Corinto congress and against Costa Rica, which is supposed to sympathize with Guatemala. Central American union would be the ostensible object of the expected war, the real motive for which, according to Pamana advices, was that the Presidents of Salvador, Nicaragua and Honduras wished to follow Mexico's precedent and establish a federative republic of the Central American States.

VENEZUELA.

STANDS ON PRINCIPLE.

Bowen not Yielding to the Allies.

Germany Asks a Percentage of Customs Receipts as Well as Some Spot Cash.

Italy Joins in Asking that Monthly Payments Be Made from Customs Dues.

Alleged Demand for an Apology from Castro not Confirmed—Caracas Expedition.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Although Mr. Bowen and the other negotiators are closely guarding the provisions of the several protocols, it is understood tonight that the demands which are known to exist in the German and Italian agreements, as they are at present drafted, to which Mr. Bowen cannot agree, concede an increased payment by Venezuela prior to the handing down of The Hague decision regarding he allies' contention for preferential consideration in the settlement of their claims.

It is reported that Germany asks that she receive, in addition to the $27,500 cash that Mr. Bowen has agreed to pay, a certain percentage of the customs receipts until the remainder of the $40,000 demanded in the original ultimatum addressed by Germany to President Castro last autumn is paid. Italy, it is believed, is insisting on a similar demand, though the amount asked for in her ultimatum was more than $300,000. Both Germany and Italy ... that this money be paid in ... treatment, a question which they agree in their protocols shall go to The Hague. It is the firm opinion of both the Italian Ambassador and the German Minister that the insertion in their protocols of these demands is the result of a serious misunderstanding on the part of their Foreign Offices of certain phases of the negotiations which were supposed to be settled. They are using every effort to have this misunderstanding cleared up, and have informed Mr. Bowen that they hope to submit their conventions to him in a few days.

Mr. Bowen has made it plain to the allies' representatives that he is willing to consider any reasonable requests they may advance, but they will not yield to the extent of signing the present German and Italian protocols Published reports that Germany included in her protocol a demand for an apology from President Castro of his resignation, is news to Mr. Bowen, and of course will not be considered.

EXPEDITION FROM CARACAS.

CAPTURE OF A TOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CARACAS, Feb. 9.—[By South American Cable.] A force of 2000 men, with fifty horses and two guns, under the command of Minister of War Geh. Ferrera, left Caracas this morning in the direction of the seaport Higuerote, fifty-five miles east of Caracas.

The object of the expedition is to attack a body of 1500 revolutionists under Gen. Monagas, who is reported to be too feeble to attack the government forces, but strong enough to devastate the district around Rio Chico, province of Miranda, sixty miles southeast of Caracas, and daily enter and pillage the town. Even ardent revolutionists seem to recognise that President Castro is master of the situation.

The governmental troops captured the town of Guaitre at noon, and are now marching on Rio Chico.

SOME MINOR DIFFICULTIES.

DISCUSSED AT LONDON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 9.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It was authoritatively stated this evening that while no serious point has arisen to jeopardize a satisfactory settlement of the Venezuelan troubles, indications point to the fact that minor difficulties are delaying the signing of the protocols. The Foreign Office and the embassies here today were busy discussing queries from Washington regarding the phraseology of the protocols. Italy's difficulty, it is said, here, apparently arose from Ambassador des Planche's learning that the British protocol stipulated a renewal of the commercial treaty with Venezuela, and Italy desired assurances that no differential duties will be imposed subsequent to the settlement.

It is said in London that Germany is likely to adopt a similar attitude, all the allies feeling, to quote one of their representatives, "that Venezuela is not likely to feel too friendly after the episode is closed, and might nullify all the terms by imposing arbitrary duties."

WASHINGTON.

SET WHEELS REVOLVING.

President Opens the Canning Exposition Happily.

Large Crowd Present to Hear His Brief Remarks.

War on Irish Find Colonel Well Intrenched—Speaker and His Future.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The President formally opened the exhibit of the annual convention of the canning and allied industries at Convention Hall this afternoon. Shortly before 3 o'clock he left the White House, accompanied by Secretary Cortelyou, and was driven to Convention Hall, where the exhibit of machinery and supplies had been put in place. The President was given a cordial reception by the large crowd assembled to witness the opening of the exhibit, and spoke as follows:

"Mr. Chairman and Ladies and Gentlemen: I am glad to have the chance to greet you, to greet the representatives of one of our great and typical American industries, meeting here as they should meet in the national Capitol. I cannot stay with you; the end of the short session of Congress is approaching and we have a good deal of work to do. I have come down, in the name of the national government, to welcome you here, to say how glad we are to see you, to express my appreciation of the importance of this gathering, and finally to formally open it." [Great applause.]

At the conclusion of the President's remarks he turned to a key which had been placed on one of the platform tables, and by pressing it started the machinery of the exhibit. The exhibition will continue throughout the week.

WAR UPON IRISH.

COLONEL WELL INTRENCHED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From appearances, there is going to be a good deal of fun before it is settled finally whether Col. John P. Irish of San Francisco will continue to hold his office as naval officer at that port, or whether he will be relieved to make way for Representative Samuel D. Woods, as has been indicated. Col. Irish is not likely to be disturbed by the President, but there still is a chance that Mr. Woods will get the place.

Col. Irish was appointed nearly ten years ago by President Cleveland, and has held office ever since, without reappointment. California Republicans are claiming that this is unprecedented, and that this fat office ought to be given to some Republican. Col. Irish is a gold Democrat, and representations are being made to the President that if some man like Olney or Judge Parker of New York is nominated for President upon the Democratic ticket in 1904, Col. Irish will take the stump against the Republican ticket, and for that reason ought to be supplanted by some solid Republican. Col. Irish has spent the day in calling upon his influential friends, and he expresses confidence in his ability to keep his place under the government.

SPEAKER'S FUTURE PLANS.

NOT YET DECIDED ON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Considerable interest has been manifested in the future of Speaker Henderson, who retires from Congress March 4. Various reports have been current to the effect that he would associate himself with law firms, corporations, or engage in other lines of business for which his legal knowledge and Congressional experience have qualified him.

The latest announcement purporting to forecast his intention was to the effect that he would succeed the late Thomas B. Reed as a member of the law firm of Simpson, Thacher & Bartnum, New York, probably inspired by the fact that he (Henderson) succeeded Reed as Speaker of the House. When asked as to the authenticity of this report, and other reports current, Speaker Henderson said: "I have not reached any decision whatever as to my future movements after this session of Congress closes."

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

CLOSING SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—SENATE.—The Littlefield anti-trust bill was received by the Senate today from the House and referred to the Committee on Judiciary. The Army Appropriation Bill was sent to conference, Messrs. Proctor, Quarles and Cockrell being named as conferees. The following bills were passed: Senate bill establishing a life-saving station at Cape Nome, Alaska; also extending the Thirteenth Life-saving District to Alaska.

Mr. Carmack of Tennessee then addressed the Senate on the Rawlins resolution, calling for the records of courts-martial of officers serving in the Philippines. The best army that ever trod the earth, he declared, could be sent to a distant tropical land, but when it became known that crimes would go unpunished, awful consequences will ensue. Just these consequences have existed, he said. The charges have been met with stolical and cynical indifference. He asserted that there was an organized system of torture in the Philippines.

"It is a further fact," said Mr. Carmack, "that though this was notorious throughout the whole army, it was continued for months and years. No effort was made to suppress it, and no single torturer was ever punished for the crime. It is a fact of high character and standing that the representatives of leading Republican administration newspapers went in person to the commanding general and told him that they had not only seen a perfect orgy of looting and plunder, but that they had seen wounded prisoners butchered before their very eyes, and though he did not deny it, he ignored it. It is further true that this fact was brought to the attention of the Secretary of War in a letter over the signature of Robert M. Collins, the chief agent and representative of the Associated Press in the Philippines, and it did not suggest the propriety of an inquiry or an investigation."

Murders by American soldiers in the field had become too common, he said, to bear investigation, which answer seems entirely satisfactory to "our noble and generous and humane Secretary of War." Courts-martial in the Philippines has been a travesty on justice, he said, and he cited the case of Lieut. Preston Brown, whom he charged with murdering an unarmed and unresisting native Filipino, and whose sentence of five years had been mitigated by the President to a nominal fine and a slight reduction in rank.

To every wicked, vicious and depraved ruffian in the army, he said, the order of Gen. Jacob Smith to kill and burn in Samar meant that there was no law, no restraint and no punishment, and yet the President calmly surveys the ruin he has wrought, "and like another great imperialist, he is astonished at his own moderation."

He inquired how it happened that the President, who had declared his intention to probe crimes in the Philippines, never heard of the Capt. Brownell case, when Father Augustin was tortured until he died.

The President, in a speech while Governor of New York, had said that our indifference to the welfare of the people of Alaska had made them prefer annexation to Great Britain, and the same condition would result if we showed like indifference in the Philippines. He declared the Filipinos were starving. The same vigilance that enables the President to discover them "as enjoying the greatest prosperity," he said, "should cause him to see that they are starving."

"Time," he said in conclusion, "will demonstrate the folly of this business," and he hoped it would find some cure for "the blunder we have made."

The resolution then went over, and the Statehood Bill was taken up. Mr. Kean of New Jersey continuing his remarks in opposition to it.

Mr. Rawlins, answering some references of Mr. Kean to the Mormons, said that in Salt Lake City the non-Mormons are glad to aid in electing Mormons to important political offices because of their desire to give to the municipality good government. Certain elements in the church, he said, by reason of long habit, were disposed to yield to the dictates of prominent individuals in the church.

"It is not to be denied that their influence is very considerable," said he, "but there was still a large element among the Mormons who resent the idea of such interference."

Mr. Kean said the people of the United States are opposed to polygamy, and mean in every way to stamp it out.

Answering Mr. Nelson of Minnesota, Mr. Kean said that the Mormons who fled from Idaho to Mexico undoubtedly would return to the United States and mix in the politics of Arizona and attempt to usurp the public authority of that State, should it be admitted. Mr. Hale of Maine interrupted to remark that every time this phase of the subject is reached, it presents no new information, and before anything further is done, he thought somebody should submit amendments in order to have an expression of the feeling of the Senate on this subject, and bring it determinedly before the Senate for its action.

Mr. Kean said he would offer an amendment of this kind.

In the course of Mr. Kean's remarks, Mr. Patterson of Colorado interrupted to read from a speech made by the President at Las Veras, N. M., upon the occasion of the Rough Riders' reunion, in which he is said to have favored the admission of New Mexico as a State, and said he would go to Washington and work for such a bill. Mr. Kean declared that this did not put him on record as favoring the Omnibus Bill.

Mr. Patterson thought the President, being then a distinguished Republican leader having thus enthusiastically pledged himself in favor of New Mexico's admission, opposition to the Omnibus Bill should vanish.

DEBATE CONTINUED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Mr. Rawlins read the Republican and Democratic platforms, and praised the Democrats for trying to keep their pledges, while the Republicans, he said, had not been able to keep faith or discharged their obligations with respect to Statehood.

Mr. Elkins declared that the national conventions interpret the wishes of political parties, and not those of individual Senators. Thirty-three Democrats and seventeen or eighteen Republicans, he said, favored the Omnibus Bill, while thirty-eight Republicans opposed it, and he wanted to show that the minority was obstructing the passage of the bill. Mr. Elkins yielded to Mr. Hoar, who presented the conference report on the act fixing salaries of certain judges of the United States courts. The report was agreed to.

Mr. Clay of Georgia declared an injustice was being done to the people of Arizona and New Mexico on account of the statements made regarding their Mormon population. At the present time, he said, there were but 1300 Mormons in New Mexico and 6500 in Arizona, while according to the census of 1890, Idaho had 14,972, and Utah 118,251. He declared it was wrong to charge the people of New Mexico with being repudiationists, polygamists and ignorant. If given the opportunity, he said, they would present the identical legislation prepared by them in 1889, declaring against polygamy and bigamy.

At 4:55 o'clock p.m., the Senate went into executive session, and soon afterward adjourned until tomorrow.

PROTEST AGAINST TREATY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—In the executive session of the Senate today, a memorial was read from the Legislature of the State of Washington protesting against the ratification of the Alaska boundary treaty.

CONFIRMATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Confirmations by the Senate: Roger Sherman Gates Boutell, secretary of legation at Berne.

Postmasters: California, William G. Hawley, San José; Thomas E. Byrnes, San Mateo; L. M. Baldwin, Whittier; F. L. Grauss, Calistoga; E. G. Hill, Healdsburg; F. B. Mackinder, St. Helena; O. T. Lincoln, Santa Cruz; C. H. Dobbie, Palo Alto.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—HOUSE.—Speaker Henderson, who has recovered from his recent indisposition, presided over the deliberations of the House today.

After the reading of the journal, Mr. Richardson of Tennessee, took exception to the presentation of the conference report on the Department of Commerce Bill at yesterday's memorial session. He contended that the action of yesterday was void. The Speaker ruled that it was regular. He said in his ruling that it had been repeatedly held that Sunday could be made a legislative day. There had, as a fact, been no legislation at yesterday's session. By unanimous consent, the house simply permitted the filing of the conference report under the rule. The House, when in session at any time, he stated, was omnipotent except for the limitations of the Constitution.

Mr. Richardson protested against the ruling as a dangerous precedent, and moved to correct the journal so as to strike out the action of yesterday. Eleven Republicans voted with the Democrats for this motion, but it was defeated on a rising vote of 80 to 88. Mr. Richardson demanded the ayes and noes, and the roll was called.

The motion was carried by 116 to 101. Twenty-eight Republicans voted with the Democrats. The net result of this action is to postpone the consideration of the conference report on the Department of Commerce Bill until tomorrow.

Mr. Hepburn insisted that, although the House had just stricken from the journal the record of the action of yesterday, the fact nevertheless remained that the conference report had been presented.

"What proof has the gentleman?" inquired the Speaker. "The House has just stricken all reference to the action from the journal." [Laughter.]

The conference report on the bill to increase the salaries of Federal judges was agreed to. The House then proceeded to the consideration of District of Columbia business.

OTHER BUSINESS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—A bill to authorize an advance of $6,000,000 to the District of Columbia was defeated by 95 to 66.

The conference report upon the Department of Commerce Bill was presented by Mr. Hepburn and ordered printed.

A partial conference report on the bill for a union station in Washington was agreed to, after which Mr. Morrill of Pennsylvania moved that the House recede from its amendment to the bill which reduced the appropriation for the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio railroads from $1,500,000 to $1,000,000, but his motion was defeated by 87 107. The bill was then sent back to conference.

At 5:10 o'clock p.m. the House adjourned.

NEED OF LEGISLATION.

CABLEGRAM FROM TFAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Secretary Root today transmitted to the President pro tem. of the Senate a copy of the cablegram from the Governor of the Philippines, dated Manila, February 5, indicating the urgent necessity of legislation regarding the Philippines currency. In his dispatch to the Secretary of War, Gov. Taft says:

"Official ratio Mexican dollars to United States currency now $2.66 to $1; total direct net loss to insular treasury from depreciation silver since January 1, 1902, $1,287,947. All business suffering greatly from fluctuation and depreciation in insular treasury; immense losses to merchants who have sold on credit. Failure to furnish relief at this session of Congress would create consternation throughout the islands; added to prevailing financial depression, loss of animals by rinderpest and other contagious diseases, and with resulting destitution, the political situation would become more difficult.

"The adoption of American money would enhance prices greatly and derange every form of business. Legislation making the gold peso equal to the half American dollar as unit of value, peso and subsidiary minor coinage receivable for all public dues at the rate of 50 cents American money for one peso, with provision for issuance of silver certificates based on deposit of new pesos, would furnish a currency as good as American money and as better adapted to needs of the Islands. The Philippine Commissioners are unanimous in their views."

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Considering Trust Question.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The Senate Committee on Judiciary today decided to hold special meetings for the consideration of the trust question, beginning tomorrow. The committee will use the Littlefield bill as a basis, but will at the same time consider all anti-trust bills which have been introduced in the Senate. It is expected that the committee will devote several days to

Presidential Nominees.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

To be assistant treasurer of the United States, Charles A. Bosworth, Cincinnati.

Secretary of legation at Berne, Switzerland, Roger Sherman Gates Boutelle, Illinois.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicagoans waded through slush today, the result of a thaw which the weather man says will continue tomorrow and may be followed the next day by rain. The temperature ranged from 19 deg. at 1 o'clock a.m. to 35 at 4 o'clock p.m. Similar conditions are reported throughout the lake region and the Ohio Valley. Temperatures at 7 a.m.: New York, 32; Boston, 26; Philadelphia, 32; Washington, 34; Chicago, 24; Minneapolis, 10; Cincinnati, 30; St. Louis, 32.

JANITOR STRIKE DELAYED.

The extension of the strike of elevator men and janitors to all the big office buildings was delayed today, pending a conference between representatives of the Teamsters' Union and the Building Managers' Association. The teamsters demanded that coal be used in the buildings all the year round, and that all pipes for transmitting natural gas or oil be removed. The managers not only refused the demand, but declined to arbitrate the matter. It is now expected that the employés in all the skyscrapers will quit tomorrow. The coal supply in most of the buildings is running out, but most of the managers say they will be able to replenish stocks when necessary.

NATIONAL BANK STATEMENTS.

Statements of the thirteen Chicago national banks, published today, show that their deposits increased nearly $17,000,000, or nearly 6 per cent. between November 25 and February 6, making their total deposits $282,062,277. At the same time, loans were up to $183,000,000, an increase of 5 per cent., and the cash increased to $122,698,000.

BOOKED FOR CALIFORNIA.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Skillen of Oak Park, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gregory and Miss Gregory will leave this week for California.

CAPITAL FOR SPRINGFIELD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eastern capitalists have closed a deal to purchase the local street railway lines, the gas plant, new heating plant just completed and the electric light and power company.

PERE MARQUETTE EXTENSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA PORTE (Ind.) Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] General Manager Carpenter of the Pere Marquette is authority for the statement that the extension of the system to Chicago is now under consideration. Carpenter says the route viewed with favor is a direct line from La Crosse, the southern terminal of the road, across Porter and Lake counties of the Illinois State line. Pere Marquette trains now run into Chicago over the tracks of the Michigan Central.

DEATH TOOK THEM BOTH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OSKALOOSA (Kan.) Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Albert Patrick, who was one of the first editors of the Louisville Courier-Journal, died here suddenly today, and when his sister, Mrs. S. S. Cooper, came to the residence she looked for a moment at the dead face and then fell to the floor, paralyzed on one side and unconscious, dying within a few hours. Patrick was 80 years old, and in 1849 was a pioneer in the rush to the gold mines of California.

HARD COAL ARRIVING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hard coal is beginning to arrive in Milwaukee in carload lots to an extent that the anthracite famine may be said to be relieved. Over 1200 carloads have already been received, and dealers say that hereafter there will be a steady supply.

ATTORNEY SUED BY WIFE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Byron G. Burbank, one of Omaha's most prominent attorneys, is being sued for a divorce by his wife, Clara E. Burbank, who asks for alimony and custody of her child. The Burbanks were married twenty-one years ago at Rockford, Ill. The allegation is cruelty.

SEQUOIAS FOR RESIDENCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DULUTH, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Robert B. Whiteside, the millionaire iron mining man and owner of the famous Calaveras (Cal.) grove of big trees, proposes to erect a unique residence here on the Second-street terrace, overlooking Lake Superior. The structure will cost at least $150,000, and may cost double that amount. Two things only have been decided upon. One is that the building shall be constructed wholly of giant sequoias from the Calaveras grove, or of a combination of the sequoias and immense blocks of natural cement from Manitoba.

"L" Men May Strike.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—There is general dissatisfaction with conditions among the employés of the Manhattan Railroad Company, and it is said a strike may occur at any moment that will stop traffic on all the elevated lines. It is understood that motormen, engineers, firemen, guards, and "choppers" are interested in the movement, but that the porters and office men who have organizations of their own have not so far been invited to cooperate.

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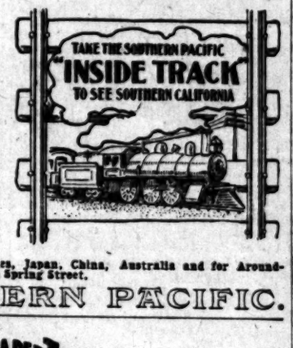

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Wreck of Lumber Steamer—Bubonic Plague Statement—Suicide of J. W. Pratt.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.C.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—At 6 o'clock Sunday evening a young man entered John Heath's general store at Michigan Bar in the eastern part of this county, battered the clerk, Moses Patterson, into insensibility, rifled the cash boxes of $51, and then decamped. This morning Constable Lee M. Parker took the trail of the robber, and after passing through a corner of Amador county, crossed the Consumnes River, and came up with his man a half mile south of Latrobe, El Dorado county. Parker, who was armed with a pump shotgun, ordered the robber to throw up his hands. He replied by opening fire with a revolver. Parker blazed away with his shotgun, but the second shell stuck and he had to throw it out. While he was doing so the robber fired two more shots. Parker again got his shotgun going, and the robber dropped at his first shot.

The man was desperately wounded and will die. His face and chest are riddled with buckshot. On his person were found money and letters taken from the store. He gives the name of Clifford Reed, says he has been in California two years, and that his mother, Delia Reed, lives at 3039 Woodburn avenue, Walnut Hill, Cincinnati, O.

BUBONIC PLAGUE.

NO MORE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Michael Casey, president of the Board of Public Works, was elected president of the City Board of Health at a special meeting held this morning. The vote for Commissioner Casey was 4 to 2, with one member of the health board absent. Commissioner Casey said today:

"The city of San Francisco is free from plague, and it is in a position to give clean bills of health to all ships leaving the port. And we shall see that vessels leaving San Francisco are provided with clean bills of health in future."

Since December 11, 1902, there have been no cases of plague discovered in San Francisco, said Dr. W. R. Lewis, "and under existing conditions the city is entitled to a clean bill of health. Greater precautions are to be taken and greater vigilance exercised than in the past, and the relations between the city board and the State and federal authorities are harmonious."

Dr. A. W. Baum was equally positive in his declaration that there is not a case of plague in San Francisco. "There has not been a case of plague found in San Francisco since December 11," he said, "although the same precautions have been taken in looking up cases as in the past three years. There has been no cessation of vigilance in looking after sanitation of Chinatown, notwithstanding that we have not found a case of plague since that date."

OPIUM RING.

OPERATIONS UNCOVERED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The operations of an opium smuggling ring which is said to have its headquarters in Seattle, have been uncovered in this city, and one of the gang has narrowly escaped arrest. On February 3 the Portland customs officials notified Collector Stratton that they had received a trunkful of opium which had been sent as baggage from Seattle to Vallejo. They gave the number of the trunk check, and said that when they seized the trunk it contained 130 five-tael tins of opium, valued at about $100. They left one tin of opium in the trunk, and sent it to Vallejo. The local customs officials watched the trunk until it was delivered to the room of E. M. Morgan in this city. Morgan, who is thought to have been warned, was not on hand to receive the smuggled stuff, and has not been found.

The customs men believe that there is a ring of smugglers operating in this city, and having men all along the Coast from Los Angeles to Seattle.

MANKICHI CASE.

DOLE TO ARGUE IT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Former Atty.-Gen. E. P. Dole of Hawaii arrived today en route for Washington to appear before the United States Supreme Court in the appeal of the Territory of Hawaii against Osaki Mankichi. Dole was commissioned as a special deputy by United States Attorney-General Knox in order that he might attend the hearing.

The case is one growing out of the difficulties of annexation. Osaki Mankichi's appeal is from a conviction for murder, under which he is serving a life sentence, by a verdict of a majority of nine jurors, and without a grand-jury indictment, according to the Hawaiian law after annexation. A number of other criminal matters during the period known as the "transition period" in Hawaii is dependent upon the decision in the Mankichi case.

TRIUMPH OVER DEATH.

LEE BARNES GETTING WELL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDDING, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The case of Lee Barnes, who was stabbed during the fight at Silverthorn Ferry two weeks ago, when George Silverthorn lost his life, will very likely be classed among the most remarkable on record in the annals of surgery. Barnes and Silverthorn fought with six-inch knives, and Silverthorn was instantly killed during the fracas. Barnes received three knife wounds in the abdomen. One of the blades was seven inches long, cut through the peritoneum and into the intestines and from the wound the lacerated intestines protruded. Other wounds inflicted on Barnes were sufficient to have killed an ordinary man. Several hours after the cutting Barnes was considered dead by his friends, but when Dr. Teass arrived at the scene, there was still life, and the doctor immediately set at work to sew up the wounds and do what he could to alleviate the injured man's sufferings. It was thought absolutely impossible for Barnes to recover, but the wounds are healing nicely and the surgeons now say he will get well.

BARONIDAS BOYS.

BODIES FOUND ON BEACH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 9.—The bodies of Arthur and Harold Baronidas were found on the beach at Stege this afternoon and taken to Martinez by the Coroner. From an inspection of the locality in the vicinity of the discovery of the bodies it was evident that the boys had left their boat during the storm of Saturday, and tried to reach shore over the marsh by way of a barbed-wire fence. Tracks in the mud show that one of the boys went some distance along the fence, and then came back evidently to assist his younger brother. The wire contains many bloodstains, telling of the struggle of the boys prior to the stage of exhaustion that resulted in their death. The bodies were identified this afternoon by Ray O'Brien, a schoolmate.

WELL-KNOWN ATTORNEY MAKES END OF LIFE.

TRAGIC DEATH OF JOHN W. PRATT, FORMER NEWSPAPER MAN.

Temporary Insanity the Cause Assigned for Rash Deed—He Sent Contents of Cartridge fi a Shotgun Through His Heart.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, Feb. 9.—John W. Pratt, City Grade Tax Attorney and for years a well-known lawyer and former newspaper man in this city, took his own life about 9 o'clock this morning. The cause assigned for the rash deed was temporary insanity.

The suicide occurred at Pratt's home, No. 135 Thirty-fifth avenue, Madrona Park. A double-barreled shotgun was used, and but one cartridge was discharged. The shot passed through his heart, killing him instantly.

Mrs. Pratt found the dead body of her husband, evidently not more than ten minutes after the shot was fired. He was lying prostrate on the floor of the bathroom in the second-story of his residence. There was a great pool of blood on the floor, and it was still running from the gaping wound in his left breast. The shotgun lay beside him.

At first it was thought Mr. Pratt had accidentally killed himself while cleaning the shotgun. Not until Dr. Newlands arrived was it determined that death was by suicide. There was a large wound in the left breast just over the heart. The round indentations in the flesh made by the muzzle of the gun resting against it showed that Pratt had placed the butt of the shotgun against the wall. The muzzle was pressed hard against his breast and he had leaned forward to hold up the gun, thus making the marks on his breast. Beside the dead man was the ramrod of the gun. With it Pratt had pushed the trigger that sent the shot crashing through his body.

Pratt was dressed in stockings, trousers and undershirt. Everything indicated that death was by deliberate and planned suicide, although the decision may have been made quickly.

The report of the shotgun was not heard by anybody in the house. This is accounted for by the fact that the bathroom door was closed, and the wind was blowing very hard, thus carrying away the sound before it could reach other portions of the house.

Pratt was home all of last evening. He seemed cheerful and conversed with his family until a late hour. He arose about 8:30 o'clock this morning, said he was feeling well, and nothing unusual was noticed in his demeanor.

Every member of his family, his law partners, and intimate friends all agree that Pratt has been acting strangely of late, but no one thought insanity was approaching. So strong is the belief that the suicide was caused by temporary insanity that no inquest will be necessary.

Deceased was 48 years of age, and leaves a widow and four children.

ANTI-RAILROAD FIGHT.

MAKING POOR HEADWAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Feb. 9.—The Railway Commission Bill, which was at the head of the House calendar this afternoon, was made a special order for Wednesday at 2 p.m., over the protest of most of the commission supporters.

The latter desired the bill to be made a special order for tomorrow morning, which would make possible the final disposition of the measure in the House, before the Senate takes it up. The bill is a special order in the Senate for 11 a.m. Wednesday, and the commission strength being stronger in the House, a prior consideration by that body was considered in the interests of the measure.

Among the new bills introduced in the House today was one creating a new county of McKinley out of parts of Yakima and Klikitat counties.

INCOME TAX.

ALL RIGHT FOR HAWAII.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Hawaii's income tax has been sustained by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. The opinion, written by Judge Gilbert, was handed down today. In the new island territory it is said to be impossible to raise an adequate revenue by any system of land taxation, so the income tax levied is of vital importance to the territorial govemnment.

The Island income tax was contested by many taxpayers. It was alleged that th eincome tax was discrimination tending to compel citizens to incriminate themselves, presumably by answering questions falsely.

The Court of Appeals says it sees no discrimination. The court says of the income tax: "It places the burden of taxation on the points of strongest resistence, where it is easiest borne."

The dismissal of the case by the Supreme Court of Hawaii is accordingly affirmed.

BROKE HER MOORINGS.

LUMBER STEAMER WRECKED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The steamer Brunswick, Capt. Hammer, is a wreck on South Reef, at Fort Bragg, on the Mendocino coast. She went ashore in the gale of last Saturday night, and it is not probable that the vessel nor any part of her cargo will be saved. All the members of the crew got safely ashore.

The Brunswick, which is under charter to the Union Lumber Company, left San Francisco last Friday night for Fort Bragg. She arrived there Saturday, and after landing her passengers and discharging part of her cargo, a terrific gale blew up. The Brunswick, it is reported, broke her moorings, and drifted onto the reef, where she was buffeted all night by the hurricane, her crew being forced to abandon her.

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DOLE HAS A CASE OF LET 'ER GO, GALLAGHER.

HAWAII'S EX-ATTORNEY-GENERAL WANTS A DIVORCE.

Says His Wife Called Him "A Dog" for Defending His Friends and Told Him She Didn't Like the Fit of His Pants—Quieted Her With Champagne.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HONOLULU, Feb. 3.—[Wired from San Francisco, Feb. 9, 1903. Exclusive Dispatch.] The hearing of the divorce suit of E. P. Dole, late Attorney-General of the Territory, against his wife, who was Miss Gallagher of San Francisco, on the grounds of cruelty and incompatibility, brought out some curious testimony, which was not contradicted. Monday afternoon Judge Debolt began the hearing of the case.

The plaintiff alleged that almost from the beginning of their married life Mrs. Dole had expressed antipathy and hatred for him; that she openly insulted him; snubbed his friends and refused to associate with them, and was continually urging him to take the opportunities his office offered to make money, and when he refused called him a fool, missionary, beast and a number of names of similar import. The witnesses called to support the allegations included Mrs. Judge Estee, who testified to Mrs. Dole's insulting treatment of her husband in public; Judge Stanley, J. W. Cathcart, Dr. Galbraith and others.

Dole, however, was his own principal witness. His wife's cruelty to him began, he said, when they were coming to Honolulu after their marriage. On the steamer she shunned his society and spoke to and of him contemptuously.

Though he gave her nearly half of his income for spending money, besides paying her living expenses, he declared, she was always asking him for more, and calling him stingy.

When he introduced her to friends, the Attorney-General testified, she would often stare at them without saying a word. Or she would insult them. It got to a point that he dared not introduce her to anyone, intimate friend or mere acquaintance, for fear she would insult them, and he was thus driven to isolation. She called Honolulu a "jay" town and a "missionary burg." Dole testified she was always telling him she did not like the style and fit of his coats, or of his trousers; that he had no style, and that she was not accustomed to associating with men who were so lacking in it. Once he started to put on a collar in the morning which he had put on fresh the evening before. This was an occasion for abuse about his lack of style.

She referred to his particular friends in their hearing as the scum of the earth, declaring she would tread such people under her feet. When he defended them she called him a dog for defending such people. "The only way I could please her," testified Dole, "was by buying champagne for her."

This course of treatment so wrought on Dole's nerves and constitution that he became almost a physical wreck.

OBITUARY.

John J. Gardiner.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 9.—John J. Gardiner died here tonight of heart disease. He was a pioneer of Arizona, coming here in 1870 from Los Angeles. A son, John M. Gardiner, lives in Los Angeles or vicinity. He was a large property owner, and the projector of the city waterworks and first electric light plant.

Dr. Henry Warburton.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 9.—Dr. Henry Warburton, a pioneer of 1848, and a resident of Santa Clara ever since, died at his home in that town this afternoon of pneumonia. He was a native of England, aged 83 years, and was widely known throughout the State.

Capt. James Hamilton.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 9.—Capt. James Hamilton, a prominent orchardist, died at his home near Campbell today of Bright's disease. He was a native of Ohio, aged 76 years.

Sir David G. Duffy.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Sir David Gavan Duffy, the former Irish leader, and man of letters, died today at Nice. He was born in Ireland in 1816.

Edna Lyall.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Edna Lyall, the novelist, died at Eastbourne of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza.

William Fishback.

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Feb. 9.—Former Gov. William Fishback died today at his home in Fort Smith of paralysis, aged 72. He was widely known as the author of the Fishback amendment, in which the Legislature is forbidden ever to pay certain bonds issued during the reconstruction.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Cadillac, F. Z. Besselman; at the Murray Hill, W. L. Kuehn; at the Grand, H. E. Bascomb; at the St. Denis; J. A. Hunter; at the Manhattan, J. B. Jewett of Pasadena.

FIRE IN GALICIAN TOWN.

LEMBURG (Austria) Feb. 9.—A disastrous fire broke out in the town of Krutz, Galicia, yesterday and wiped out thirty-seven homes and many public buildings. Five hundred families are destitute.

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Nelson Family are Sorry They Compromised.

They Allege That Settlement Was Obtained by Fraud.

Assert in Complaint That Mrs. Fair Lived Thirty Minutes Longer Than Her Husband.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The heirs of Mrs. Charles L. Fair, who, with her husband, was killed in an automobile accident in France in August last, have commenced an action here to set aside an agreement which they entered into with Mrs. Theresa Oelrichs and Mrs. Virginia Vanderbilt, sisters of Charles Fair, not to start a contest over the estate. By the agreement, Mrs. Nelson was to receive $125,000, and her daughter's jewelry, valued at $100,000. It was claimed at the time that under the California laws Mr. Fair outlived his wife, and therefore his relatives were entitled to his estate, estimated at $6,000,000. Mrs. Fair's relatives now say they are prepared to prove that she lived thirty minutes longer than her husband, and as he had executed a will leaving his entire estate to her, they are entitled to the whole of it. Besides filing the complaint, counsel for the Nelson family filed a lis pendens against property on Riverside drive, and Seventy-fifth street, this city, which they claim was the private property of Mrs. Fair. They also claim furniture, clothing, silverware, jewelry, bonds and securities, and real estate in San Francisco, of the total value of $500,000, which they contend Mrs. Fair possessed independent of her husband. They allege that when the defendant offered the settlement, which was accepted, they well knew that Mrs. Fair outlived her husband, and that the statement that she died before was made to defraud them of the estate.

COWARDLY BRUTE.

After Beating Brave Woman Tries to Burn Her by Forcing Her Head into a Stove.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MONONGAHELA (Pa.) Feb. 9.—During the night an unknown man forced his way into the telegraph tower at Walston station, on the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston Railroad, and assailed Mrs. Wilson, the operator. Mrs. Wilson shot the man, and this so enraged him that he beat her almost to insensibility, and then tried to burn her to death by forcing her head into the stove. Before he succeeded, however, an arriving freight train frightened him and he fled, leaving his victim unconscious.

Mrs. Wilson is the wife of ex-Mayor Wilson of this city. She is a handsome women, aged 30, and is regarded as fearless. Her condition is critical.

Early in the evening four men made an attempt to break into the tower, but they were frustrated by the timely arrival of several railroaders. It is thought Mrs. Wilson's assailant belonged to this party.

GIRON AND PRINCESS.

Reports That are Decidedly Contradictory in Regard to Lovers Come from Brussels and Vienna.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VIENNA, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The end of the romance of the Crown Princess Louise of Saxony, who, broken down in health and spirits, has retired to an insane asylum, was brought about by a bribe paid to M. Giron, the French tutor, with whom she eloped, according to a story printed today in the Mittags Zeitung. The paper says that the tutor was bribed to leave the Crown Princess, agents of the Saxon government paying him $100,000. He accepted the money and abandoned the Crown Princess, who is heartbroken.

CALLS HIM BACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—A news agency dispatch from Brussels asserts that M. Giron is returning to Geneva, in response to an urgent appeal from the former Crown Princess of Saxony. The Princess having failed to obtain permission to see her sick child, considers it futile, according to the dispatch, to make any further concessions to the Saxony court.

SYMPATHY FOR MASCAGNI.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—A dispatch to a news agency from Rome says King Victor Emmanuel has conferred on Sig. Mascagni, the composer, the title of Chevalier of the Order of Savoy. The conferring of the title on Mascagni is attributed to the King's desire to show sympathy with the composer as a result of his recent tribulations in the United States.

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Inspector Harris and One Man Killed and Two Wounded—San Miguel Irreconcilable With Small Force of Filipinos Under His Command.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANILA, Feb. 9.—[By Manila Cable.] A force of 100 constabulary, under Inspector Keithly, yesterday defeated a body of 200 insurgents near Mariquina, a small town, seven miles from Manila city, after a severe engagement.

Inspector Harris and one man were killed, and two other men of the constabulary wounded.

The enemy left fifteen dead and three wounded on the field.

Inspector Marris's home was at Atlanta, Ga.

The body of insurgents formed the main force of the irreconcilable general, San Miguel. The constabulary were divided into three detachments, which were scouting in the Mariquina Valley. The detachment, commanded by Inspector Harris, came upon the enemy, who were in a strongly intrenched position. Inspector Harris fell at the first volley, being hit five times. The detachment of constabulary, although outnumbered, held its position until Inspector Keithley, with the main force, arrived, when the enemy were put to flight. Their headquarters were captured and burned and the constabulary seized the records of Gen. San Miguel, who claims that he succeeded to the command of the insurrectionary forces when the other generals surrendered. He has only a handful of men under him, and his operations have been of no consequence. The wounded Americans are all severely injured.

Prisoner Ends His Misery.

SAN RAFAEL, Feb. 9.—James Robinson, serving a life sentence at San Quentin prison, committed suicide today. He had been in the prison hospital for nearly two years with consumption. He visited the penitentiary barber shop today, and seizing a razor, cut his throat, dying in a few minutes. He had been in prison twenty-two years for three different offenses. He was last sentenced from San Francisco.

BEARS SHOULD EMIGRATE.

DENVER, Feb. 9.—John W. Springer, president of the National Live Stock Association, announced today he had advices from Washington to the effect that the President will visit Colorado some time in March for a hunting excursion in the northwestern part of the State.

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"From the very day I left off coffee and introduced Postum I began to improve and at the end of one single week I did not have even the slightest symptom of nervousness and dyspepsia left. It is many weeks now since then and I have not only gained in flesh but am entirely free from indigestion and am strong and happy. My wife had been nervous and her stomach in bad condition and when she saw the change wrought in me followed my example and after using Postum a short time extremely beneficial results followed.

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SACRAMENTO.

CORNEY'S PET IN DANGER.

Investigation to Be Made of Bay Rum Board.

Resolution Acts Like Calomel on Political Barbers.

No Junket for Stanton—Broughton Franchise Law Amendments to Be Reported.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Corney Pendleton's pet creation the one thing above all others in which he is supposed to take pride, the State Board of Barber Examiners, is on the rack. It is to be investigated, and with the growing sentiment in favor of the abolition of all useless State commissions the investigation may make it necessary for Corney to look about him for some other pet hobby. The barbers of the State may not during this session be relieved of this needless restriction to their business, but the days of the commission will not be long in the land if some of the members of the law-making bodies have their way. The investigation was ordered by the adoption of the following resolution introduced in the upper house by Senator French:

"Whereas, consideration of public interest demand an inquiry into the affairs of the board of examiners of barbers appointed, and acting under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the State of California;

"Resolved, that the President of the Senate is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a committee of five Senators to investigate the affairs of the board of examiners of barbers, both as to its management, business matters and finances, including all moneys received by said board, and to make a report thereon.

"Said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all things necessary to make a complete investigation as to the above matters, and is authorized and empowered to send for persons and papers, to administer oaths, to examine witnesses, and to compel their attendance, and to do all other things necessary to complete investigation."

Speaking to the resolution at the time of its introduction, Senator French said:

"The facts in the case are these: Under the law by which the board was created, all moneys should be turned into the State treasury. They have never turned in a nickel. It also provides the board shall report to the Legislature. They have not done so. Large sums of money are collected by the board and the journeymen barbers of San Francisco want to know where that money has gone."

It may have been a mere coincidence, but it was suspiciously prompt and therefore caused remark, that within a short time after the introduction of this resolution the report of the Pendleton Barber Commission was received by the Senate, and ordered printed in the journal. As reports go, it is unique in many ways, not so much in what it tells as the many things which it does not tell. For example, it says nothing of the political work done during the last campaign by its members for Gage and his gang. It also does not mention something which was whispered about the Senate today to the effect that the members of the commission, or some of them, have been able to purchase, during the past two years, handsome homes where before they were considered anything but men of wealth.

The report first recites the facts of its creation, its purposes and its appointment, and then tells in generalities how many sessions it has held, in which connection it has this modest recommendation to make:

"By reason of the long distances that have to be traveled by the board, it should be in continuous session throughout the year to meet the current demands upon it."

Then the report states that the board has traveled 25,839 miles—what a time it must have had going a distance once and a half times around the world—and that it visited every town of importance in the State.

The manner in which cards or permits to work are issued is then recited. The plan adopted was simply that of the labor unions in issuing working cards upon orders of unions, or their walking delegates.

The so-called barbers' schools are not under the control of the board, and therefore they come in for a rasp in the report, and it is stated that they are a menace to the health of the male portion of the community. The board has therefore insisted upon a three-year apprenticeship, and has refused certificates to many who have not served three years.

Following is all that the report says on the subject of the money it has handled: "The receipts of the board from all sources from the 12th day of June, 1901, to the 1st day of December, 1903, were $10,789.70. The disbursements were $10,711.99, leaving a balance of $77.96, which sum is on deposit in the Western National Bank of San Francisco."

No particulars are given as to the source of these receipts or the manner of their disbursement. There is no detailed financial report and the Legislature is asked practically to take the word of the board that its statement is correct.

Then the board makes recommendations for future legislation. It wants legislation to compel proper sanitary conditions of barbering schools. It would provide that in no barber shop shall there be more than one apprentice to two barbers; that the members shall serve for three years; that the working card be made renewable annually at small cost; that the board have power to revoke a certificate under various circumstances, the board to be the judge as to whether revocation shall be ordered.

The report is signed by John J. Calish, president, Frank Fleming, treasurer, and P. W. Drake, secretary.

WEAK-KNEED MEMBERS.

GIVEN A CAUCUS BRACE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Perhaps the most important step which the members of the Assembly have taken and one which will have a direct and very important bearing upon all prospective important legislation was the action today of the Republican caucus when it decided that hereafter all measures of unusual importance must be settled in caucus. It was particularly specified that the caucus should decide what shall be the fate of the various numerous industrial bills, so called, but really the union labor bills. If this plan is adhered to the remainder of the session promises to be rather tame so far as the flights of oratory are concerned, and also so far as any contest which may occur with reference to any very important measure.

The real reason that this action was taken was the virtual effort on the part of certain union labor members to intimidate members into supporting their bills, the alternative being the condemnation of the laborites throughout the State. When nearly a week ago the anti-injunction bill was up for consideration some of the members who in their heart were opposed to it, did not dare to make a fight because of their political aspirations. Some of them therefore voted for the striking out of the word "intimidation" from the bill, while others sneaked out of the Assembly chamber and remained away during the roll call, even going so far as to hide themselves for fear that they would be caught on a call of the House. From all over the State have come protests against the action of the Assembly on that occasion, and a number of the members who voted to please the union laborites and thus voted against the principles which they espouse, have been deluged with communications from their constituents demanding that they take the other side.

Some of these members, fearful lest they incur the enmity of the union laborites, hit upon the plan of making their party bear the brunt of what they were personally unwilling to bear, and accordingly a caucus of the Republican majority was called during the noon recess for the purpose of taking concerted action. It was given out that the caucus was called to consider what should be done in the matter of the contested elections, but that was really a secondary matter. What was desired was that the majority take up the industrial bills and determine whether they should be passed or not.

Johnson of Sacramento presided, and in stating the subject to the caucus asserted that there were bills now on the file or before committees which if passed would almost overturn the State government. It was therefore considered advisable that the Republicans in the Assembly determine among themselves what was to be done with them. None of the bills was mentioned by title, but everybody understood what the caucus was about, and all the members of the majority entered heartily into that plan of settling what would otherwise have been a rather difficult problem to solve. It was pointed out that any of the members who had promised to support any of these labor or industrial bills can now explain to those who present them that they are sorry they cannot keep their promises, but inasmuch as they have been bound by caucus action they will be obliged to stand by the will of the majority. If this plan is adhered to there will be no necessity for long debates, except they be made by the minority.

It was also decided that in the election contest cases the decision of the Supreme Court with reference to ballots marked "no nomination" will be adhered to. The effect of this will be to seat Wanser in the place now occupied by Duffey, thus adding one to the Republican majority.

The application of caucus rule will be made even to the bills carrying the largest appropriations. It has been pointed out that there is no need of threshing out these matters in the open sessions when by caucusing upon them the exact wishes of the executive can be openly stated without danger of publicity, and that the members can govern themselves accordingly. If there be appropriations proposed the passage of which is not desired by the Governor, and which if they should be passed, he would veto, the explanation of that fact to the caucus will obviate the necessity for the Governor to exercise his veto power, because the majority will not pass on to the Governor any bill which he does not want to come to him.

The anti-injunction bill was made a special order for Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, but it will be continued at that time until such a time as the caucus may have an opportunity to pass upon it.

BROUGHTON LAW.

AMENDMENTS ACTED UPON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Senate Committee on Municipal Corporations, of which Savage is chairman, this afternoon decided to report favorably the amendments to the Broughton franchise law which were proposed by the City Council of Los Angeles. There was no division in the committee, and no opposition appeared from any source. The only question asked was as to the advisability of giving the Council discretionary powers in the matter of whether a franchise should be offered for sale when three-fourths of the property owners along a street petitioned for the sale of a franchise along that street. It was decided, however, to report the proposed amendments without change.

The same committee favorably considered the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association bill, introduced by Smith, making it a felony for any person to willfully turn in a false alarm of fire.

CHILD-LABOR BILL.

AMENDMENT MADE TO IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The union-laborites have lost another of their bills, or rather have been defeated in their efforts to have it pass without amendment, and that, too, when it was one of the most commendable measures of the many which they have introduced, or had introduced. Their objections to the reasonable amendment of the so-called Child Labor Bill were overruled tonight, and the Assembly Committee on Capital and Labor decided to amend the measure so that it would not work a hardship to the fruit growers.

As originally introduced, the bill prohibited the employment of children under the age of 14 at almost any kind of work. There was no objection to this so long as it applied to such work as is really injurious to the children, but the fruit growers of this portion of the State, as well as other sections, saw in the bill a menace to them. Throughout California in the fruit season thousands of children are employed in picking fruit, and about packing-houses. The work is not difficult, and does them no harm, as a rule. In some portions of the State the public schools suspend sessions during the height of the season, so that the growers may have the services of the scholars, who are glad to earn what is paid them. The laborites strongly opposed any amendment to the bill, and there have been several lively sessions of the committee. Tonight it was finally decided that the bill shall be amended by adding the following clause:

"Provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the employment of minors at agricultural, horticultural or domestic labor during the time that the public schools are not in session."

POOR PROSPECT FOR JUNKET.

STANTON'S TELEPHONE BILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Stanton's resolution for the investigation of the affairs of the Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company will not pass in the form in which it was presented or in anything like that form. No select committee with him as a member will travel to San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and not more than three other cities to investigate at the expense of the State, the affairs of a corporation over which the Legislature has no control. If there is to be any investigation it will be held in Sacramento, and it is by no means certain that there will be an investigation at all.

The matter will come up tomorrow afternon at a meeting of the Assembly Committee on Corporations, at which time, it is expected, there will be present a Los Angeles representative of the company. If such a representative is present there is a prospect of a lively session, but it is now a foregone conclusion that the committee will not report in favor of sending any committee off on an easy junket which would be costly to the State.

Chairman Allen of the Committee stated today that even if the conditions complained of in Stanton's resolution were proved to be ten times worse than he has stated them, the Legislature has no power to say how the telephone company shall conduct its business, and after the investigation is completed the company could not be compelled to take any action which it did not desire to take. It could wear out the matter in the courts, if necessary, and after the adjournment of the Legislature no Assembly committee would have the least authority. There is little chance of the passage of any bill this session bearing upon that subject, whatever may be the action of the committee.

Stanton returned today from Los Angeles, and it is understood that he is equipped with letters from a number of prominent people who assert that the service there is bad. The majority of the committee, however, is of the opinion that such matters are subject more properly to local adjudication, and are not proper subjects for general legislation, and that it would be impossible to pass a general law which would be satisfactory to all concerned and which would operate evenly throughout the State.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.

THIRTY-FIFTH SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—SENATE—Following are sponsors and titles of bills introduced in the Senate this morning:

Flint—Amending an act granting to the city of Monterey the title to water front, Bay of Monterey.

Belshaw—Relating to registration of voters.

Emmons—To promote horticultural interests of the State.

Emmons—To protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies and to protect giving or receiving of rebates on the transportation of properties.

Wolfe—To regulate work and hours of selling, at retail, drugs and medicines and compounding physicians' prescriptions.

Smith—Relating to leases of city and town lots.

Flint—Approving charter of Salinas City.

Ward—To prevent selling, giving or delivering intoxicating liquors to minor children and to prevent minor children from visiting saloons or public houses for the purpose of playing any game of chance.

Leavitt—To establish police courts in cities of second class.

Leavitt—Regulating hours of service of policemen.

Emmons introduced a resolution which was adopted, providing for investigation of bribery charges against Pilot Commissioner Charles H. Spratt. Resolution referred to Committee of Commerce and Navigation.

Resolution introduced by Senator French, calling for inquiry into affairs of board of examiners of barbers was adopted.

Committee of three will be appointed to make complete investigation of business matters and finances of board.

Devlin—Appropriating $50,000 to build fire-proof committee rooms in the attic of the Capitol. This bill is believed to be the outgrowth of the agitation for the removal of the Capital.

ASSEMBLY PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—The following are titles of principal bills introduced in the Assembly this morning:

Johnson—To prevent employment of special or other counsel in lawsuits wherein the State is party, by any State officer or State board or State commission.

Soward—To declare the Alturas and Lake View wagon road a State highway and appropriating $10,000 for its improvement.

By Prescott—Amending the law relating to water locations.

By Drew—Providing for the organization and government of drainage districts, for the drainage of agricultural lands other than swamp and overflow lands, and to provide for the acquisition or construction of work for the drainage of the lands embraced within such districts.

Rolley of Humboldt, offered a resolution authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee of five to investigate the charges of fraud in connection with the appointment of pilots in San Francisco. The resolution was adopted, but with an amendment, placing the matter of investigation in the hands of a committee on commerce and navigation.

The "Poland Water Book."

Hiram Ricker & Sons, the owners of the celebrated Poland Spring in Maine, have published a very interesting little book containing facts about Poland Water, its properties, its uses and its cures. Since its discovery many remarkable cures have been recorded, among them Bright's disease, albuminuria, diabetes, uric acid, diathesis, inflammation of kidneys and bladder, fevers and stomachic disorders. Send 2-cent stamp. H. Jevne, Los Angeles, Cal.—[Adv.

SACRAMENTO UNIONS BOYCOTT "THE TIMES."

THREATEN NEWSDEALERS WHO PUT IN ON SALE.

Excuses Legislators Find for Voting to Legalize Intimidation—Laborites Will Try to Cumber Constitution With Matter Purely Legislative in Character.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 7.—The Sacramento labor unions, or some of them, have issued an edict to the newsdealers of the city to the effect that if they continue to sell The Times they will be boycotted, and they have heeded the dictates of these autocrats and for a time, at least, have ceased to publicly sell the newspaper which they all admit is one of the best in the State. Under the circumstances they cannot be blamed much, except that any person is subject to criticism who yields to such dictation, but Sacramento is so completely ruled by this union gang that it would be commercially suicidal as things are at present for the merchants to do otherwise.

A well-known Los Angeles man went into the stationery store of W. F. Purnell a few days ago, and called for a copy of The Times. The paper was there, and one of the clerks was in the act of handing a copy to his customer when a voice was heard from the rear of the room saying: "Don't sell that paper. We have been notified by the unions that The Times is on the union blacklist and they say that if we sell one copy of it they will boycot this store. Don't sell it. Keep it. We can't afford to take chances." The Los Angeles man was unable to tell who issued these orders, but the clerk obeyed them and then tried to explain existing conditions here. His customer was not to be thus mollified, but in a voice loud enough to be heard all over that store he preached that clerk a sermon on Americanism, on manliness and on independence which, at least, gave him food for thought. Then he went to another store, and secured the paper.

It is not surprising in a city so ruled by the unions that its drug stores refuse to sell a man medicine after 10 p.m. because of the fear that the unions will fine them, that the newsdealers are also under subjection. "It required but little inquiry to obtain the information that this boycott against The Times here was the result of a communication which was sent to the unions from Los Angeles. Who sent the communication is not known, but it was some member of the jimgray gang who are keeping awake nights studying and vainly searching for means to 'down The Times.'"

But The Times is still on sale in Sacramento.

SOME LAME EXCUSES.

Some of the members of the Assembly who voted, at the dictation of or because they feared the wrath of the union-labor members with reference to their own bills, to strike out the word "intimidation" from that pet measure of the laborites, the anti-injunction bill, have hit upon a, to them, happy explanation of why they did so. They now say that for the safety of the public, for the assurance to every workingman whether he be union or non-union, that he will receive a full measure of justice, it is not really necessary that that word be included in the bill. It is, under the law, unlawful for one man or body of men to intimidate another, and that being true, it is not necessary to secure an injunction to prevent such intimidation. It is needless to enjoin a man or body of men against a breach of the peace or a violation of the law. In that event the proper remedy does not lie in resort to injunction, but in criminal prosecution. Therefore, they say, the partial victory gained by the laborites a few days ago is an empty one.

Whether that be true or not, the moral effect of the action of the Assembly is already visible on the streets of Sacramento. Before the bill was considered the unions had pickets out in front of only two of the hotels despite the fact that more than twenty hotels and restaurants are boycotted. They were too wise, while asking for legislation, to attempt to picket any great number of places because of the influence such action might have upon members of the Legislature. The very day that the Assembly voted as the laborites desired, the local unions placed pickets at the doors of another place of business on the main street of the city, and those pickets have been there every day since.

Whatever may be the excuses offered by members for the manner in which they voted, however they may desire to conceal the truth, it is a fact which cannot be disputed that most of them acted either because of a fear of incurring the enmity of the unionists, or because they desired to curry favor with the Union Labor members, and thus prevent opposition to bills which they themselves have introduced and in which they may have a selfish interest. In other words, some of them willfully stultified themselves, and in private conversation now they will not deny it, although they do not like that term.

But the anti-injunction bill has not yet passed the Assembly. The victory of the laborites was only to prevent an amendment to it which was not to their liking. The bill has taken its regular place on the file, and will come up again early in the week in the regular course of business. That there will be another fight on it is certain, and that some few of the members who voted for the amendment will change their votes and vote against the bill on final passage is also certain. It cannot be positively stated that the bill will fail of passage, but there is good ground for the belief that it will fail. The second fight probably will be more bitter than the first. It is, however, impossible to safely speculate upon what this Assembly will do after the experience of that one day when the bill was up for amendment. If a member or any number of members will stultify themselves once, their promise that they will change over to the side of law and order, and vote to defeat the bill must be taken with at least a grain of doubt.

SEEK TO AMEND CONSTITUTION.

Not satisfied with what laws they may be able to pass through both houses, and which by reason of their passage and approval would become simply statutes, the Union Labor members of the Assembly have begun an effort to have some of their pet measures incorporated in the Constitution of the State. They well know that some day there will be a revulsion of feeling, that a limit will be reached to the patience of the people of the State. When that day comes Legislatures will not hesitate to repeal their pet measures, but should any such measures be incorporated in the Constitution it would be very difficult to secure their repeal.

The first effort in this direction was made yesterday when Assemblyman Murphy introduced a proposed Constitutional amendment prepared in San Francisco by representatives of the labor unions there. He proposed to submit to the people of the State an amendment to the Constitution to be known and numbered as Section 21, and which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 21. (a) The rights of labor shall have just protection through laws calculated to promote the industrial welfare of the State.

"(b) The Legislature shall provide by law for a Board of Labor, Conciliation and Arbitration, which shall fairly represent the interests of both capital and labor. The board shall perform duties and receive compensation as provided by law.

"(c) The Legislature shall prohibit: (1) The employment of females and of children under the age of 14 years in underground mines; (2) the contracting of convict labor; (3) the labor of convicts outside prison grounds, except on public works under the direct control of the State; (4) the political and commercial control of employés.

"(d) The exchange of black lists by railroad companies or other corporations, associations or persons is prohibited.

"(e) The right of action to recover damages for injuries resulting in death shall never be abrogated, and the amount recoverable shall not be subject to any statutory limitation.

"(f) The Legislature shall pass laws to provide for the health and safety of employés in and about factories, smelters and mines and transportation industries by land and water.

"(g) The Legislature, by appropriate legislation, shall provide for the enforcement of the provisions of this section."

The proposed amendment was referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

CANADA'S DEFENSES.

Survey Made of Niagara and Detroit River Frontiers With a View to Strengthening Against Uncle Sam.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TORONTO (Ont.) Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. McLaren, who has just retired from the command of the Thirteenth Regiment, at Hamilton, Ont., says that for some time past he and other officers have been carefully surveying the Niagara and Detroit River frontiers, with a view of preparing a complete scheme of defense all along the border.

He further states that ever since Lord Dundonald's appointment to the chief command of the Canadian forces, he has devoted his attention to most careful frontier defense. Lord Dundonald has further secured the assistance of the commanders at Halifax and Esquimault in the coast plans. The Niagara-Detroit River defenses are to be largely held by cavalry and light artillery plays also an important part.

Brood Animals Duty Free.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The House Committee on Ways and Means today favorably reported the bill providing that all registered brood animals be admitted duty free, when they are to be retained as the property of the importer or are brought in to be sold. The committee report explains that, under a recent decision of the Board of General Appraisers, it is held that such animals imported to be sold are dutiable. Senator Harris today introduced a bill in the Senate authorizing the free importation of thoroughbred live stock for breeding purposes.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] E. J. Arnold Company, the conducting bookmaking company, whose operations on the turf and in the pool-rooms has been a feature of the racing season, will have received such a blow as the past, today suspended the payment of stock certificates. Great excitement prevails here, where the Arnold Company has several thousand customers, and when the news reaches the country, where the great mass of them are, it is expected the race-track game will have received a blow from which it will recover as never before. According to the general report, the Arnold Company has sold more than $2,500,000 worth of capital stock, on every dollar of which it agreed to pay first, 4, then 6, and more recently 2 per cent, interest weekly. As the company reduced the amount of interest it agreed to pay weekly, it increased its advertising and the pay of solicitors and general turf representations and the flood of dollars that poured into its coffers when first the concern operating kept up till the last few weeks.

Recently, the prosperity of the company received a series of checks. Some of the horses went wrong, and the firm went down on big betting coups. The last straw came when the Legislature appointed an investigating Committee to inspect such companies. This scared investors, and orders for withdrawals poured in and wrought the crash.

Everywhere around town tonight, the Arnold failure is discussed in eager, excited tones by men who have every dollar in the world at stake and absolutely no security for their deposits. These include many men and women who have sold out small businesses, and even their homes to secure ready cash to deposit with Arnold, thereby earning 104 per cent. a year. E. J. Arnold, head of the firm, is now in Hot Springs.

JOHN L. A BANKRUPT.

SAYS HE'LL BEGIN ANEW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John L. Sullivan was decreed a bankrupt by Judge Adams in the United States District Court today. The ex-champion was in court, and when the formal order of court was entered relieving him from all debts, he smiled and nudged his counsel in glee to his delight.

"I will have a chance to begin again," said the heavy hitter, "and though I am not as young as I was, I hope to make a living. I have no big plans for the future, but I guess I can exist in some way. I shall take things easy for a little while. I may meet some of my friends tonight, but I do not purpose to hold a reception."

The liabilities were placed at $2658, all unsecured, and due to four creditors. His assets are given as $60 in cash.

TEN-ROUND DRAW.

TEMPLE PUNISHES JACKSON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Larry Temple of New York and "Young Peter Jackson" of California fought ten rounds to a draw before the Health and Physical Culture Club tonight. In this match Bickford, manager of Jackson, insisted that if both men were on their feet at the end, a draw must be given. Temple gave Jackson stiff punishment, knocking him down in the third round, and constantly jarring him with body blows in the sixth and seventh rounds. Jackson saved himself repeatedly by clinching, and the referee had difficulty in making him break away.

DIXON SHOWS FORM.

TIRES OUT HARRY WARE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 9.—[By Atlantic Cable.] George Dixon, the American featherweight pugilist, fought a twenty-round contest with Harry Ware of London at Wolverhampton tonight. The stage was cleared, and a crowd of 3000 witnessed the contest.

Ware seemed to be the cleverest of the two at the start, and had the better of the bout up to the fourth round, when Dixon punished him severely about the body. There was heavy fighting until the fourteenth round. Dixon then knocked Ware out, but could not himself stand a knockout blow.

RACING AT INGLESIDE.

FAVORITES FARED POORLY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 9.—The fine weather that prevailed at Ingleside today was in marked contrast to that of yesterday. The track had dried out nicely, but was deep near the rail. Favorites did not fare well, only two getting home in front. The feature of the card was the mile race for which Gold Van was a pronounced favorite. He was poorly handled by Waldo, who took him back. He closed well in the deepest going, but was beaten two heads by Leader, with Epicure second. The judges suspended Birkenruth for rough riding in the third race. He was on Almsgiver and interfered with Rim Rock. Jockey Johnny Reiff left today for New York en route to Paris. Summary:

Five furlongs, selling: Arosius, 108 (Donnelly,) 6 to 1, won; Priestlike, 107 (Waterbury,) 50 to 1, second; Lady Gallantry, 98 (L. Wilson,) 3 to 1, third; time 1:02¼. Isabelita, Ripper, Amoruna, Mi Reina and The Counselior also ran.

Three and a half furlongs, selling: The Mighty, 111 (Bullman,) 4 to 5, won; Punctillo, 111 (J. Daly,) 3 to 1, second; Rodolfo, 111 (W. Waldo,) 9 to 1, third; time, 0:44¼. Emil and Cayucos also ran.

One mile and a furlong, selling: Phil Archibald, 109 (Bullman,) 7 to 2, won; Forte, 107 (Minder,) 7 to 1, second; Rim Rock, 114 (Waterbury,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:59. Alms Giver, Ulloa, Dance Along, Honor Bright and Tenrica also ran.

One mile, purse: Leader 95 (J. Daly,) 18 to 5, won; Epicure, 98 (C. Kelly,) 10 to 1, second; Gold Van, 96 (W. Waldo,) 15 to 20, third; time 1:43. Diderot and Grail also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Maraschino, 101 (Waldo,) 9 to 1, won; Bernota, 109 (Bullman,) 9 to 2, second; Rose of May, 99 (Bonner,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:28. Tyranus, Bonnie Lassie, Lone Fisherman, Mission and Pat Morrissey also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Muresco, 105 (C. Kelly,) 6 to 5, won; Champagne, 95 (J. Daly,) 9 to 5, second; Rinaldo, 102 (L. Jackson,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:16. Prue, Light Ball, Intrepido, Hilary and Homage also ran.

GIRL ATHLETES IN HAIR-PULLING MATCH.

BASKET-BALL GAME ENDS IN A FREE-FOR-FOR-ALL FIGHT.

Coaches and Spectators Tried to Act as Peacemakers, but Conflict Was too Warm—Each Team Makes Claim of Self-defense.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DERBY (Ct.) Feb. 9.—In the second half of a basket-ball game between girls' teams from the Waterbury High School and the Boardman Training High School of New Haven, played in the Anderson gymnasium in New Haven, it is alleged that the roughest tactics ever witnessed in this State in such a contest were indulged in.

The girls struck each other in the face, pulled hair, tripped and threw one another to the floor and lost all control of themselves.

Coaches and spectators tried to stop the fight, but failed. The girls were oblivious to all else, and they reached at each other with true ferocity. Time was sounded before the game was over, and the players had to be almost dragged apart.

Both teams claimed they were obliged to adopt the tactics they did in self-defense.

The final score was: Waterbury, 12; New Haven, 10.

Crescent City Card.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 9.—One mile: Eliza Dillon won, Denny Duffy second, Sir Kingston third; time 1:45.

Selling, six and a half furlongs: Arachne won, Breaker second, Immortelle third; time 1:22.

Selling, one mile and an eighth: Albert Lee won, Limelight second, Free Pass third; time 1:59.

Handicap, one mile: Harry New won, St. Tammany second, Scotch Plaid third; time 1:42 2-5.

Five furlongs: Glennevis won, Right and True second, Josette third; time 1:02 2-5.

One mile and an eighth: Chickadee won, Chanterelle second, El Rey third; time 1:57.

"Spike's" Easy Victory.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—At the National Sporting Club tonight, "Spike" Sullivan of New York gained an easy victory over Jim Maloney of London, who was counted out in the first round of what had been arranged to be a fifteen-round contest for $1000.

LION-LIKE POPE.

He Fights Against the Crushing Weight of His Great Age and Refuses to Admit Weakness.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Pope, who has been confined to his bed since his fainting spell at the Pope Pius anniversary on Saturday, today insisted on being placed in a chair and gave an audience to Bishop Thomas D. Beavn of Springfield, Mass. The audience had lasted for a few seconds only when the Pope's doctors persuaded him to return to his bed. The Pope is fighting weakness. He declared when requested to return to his bed: "I am not ill. I will show myself so the world will see that I am not ill."

His doctors deny the report that the Pontiff is suffering from influenza. They say his weakness is due entirely to fatigue, and that there is no special reason for alarm. The Vatican generally fears that Leo will not long survive the festivities incident to his silver jubilee next month.

CHANCE FOR REPUBLICANS.

DOVER (Del.) Feb. 9.—The Democrats held a caucus shortly before noon today. It was finally decided to vote for L. Irving Handy for the long term and E. W. R. Tunnell for the short term. This agreement is effective today. The decision of the Democrats, however, was not presented to the regular Republican caucus before the ballot was taken.

GERMANY TO GRASP BLEAK PATAGONIA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Commenting on the fact that the Berlin Foreign Office has secured the Reichstag to increase the annual appropriation for the establishment and maintenance of German schools abroad from 300,000 to 400,000 marks, the president of the Society for the Preservation of the German Language in Foreign Parts said today:

"At last the Foreign Office appreciates the importance of these subsidies. I therefore call upon the German Foreign Office to ask the Reichstag to augment the subsidies each year. The larger part of the increase will be applied to the support of the schools in Southern Brazil and Patagonia.

"German emigration has been pushed vigorously to Patagonia ever since it was found that the country south of Rio de Janeiro offers ideal opportunities to German colonists. The climatic and other conditions are almost identical with those of the fatherland. The Chileans, Argentines and Europeans in the country are, all told, not more than 20,000. It would not be difficult, therefore, shortly to outnumber them and make the Germans the dominant race in Patagonia. Indeed, the day is not far distant when the southermost part of South America will be as much German as the corresponding region in South Africa is British."

LABOR.

HILL SEES ROCKS AHEAD.

Says the Labor Unions Will Kill Prosperity.

Experience of England Will Be Repeated in United States.

Arguments Before the Strike Commission—Possible Tie-up of the Elevated.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—After briefly discussing the anti-trust law and the proposed Department of Commerce, James J. Hill, president of the Northern Securities Company, said today:

"As labor unions have killed industrial England, so are they destined to bring about a grave financial reverse in the United States, and the country is swiftly approaching that crisis. It may come in a year; it may be deferred till the Presidential year, but it is bound to come."

Hill flatly denied, but deprecatingly, that, as the average person believes, the United States is the leading manufacturing nation, and is rapidly gathering to its bosom the markets of the entire world. This misapprehension, he averred, is the result of the fact that over one industrial victory this country sets up a louder shout than England, Germany or France makes over a dozen.

"There seems to be too much confidence in the ability of the country to walk right ahead of all other countries in manufacturing," continued Hill. "The country can do it, but not without trouble, and not without changing its present course. It is, indeed, a grave crisis we are approaching, though few seem to appreciate it. A few years may see the closing of many factories and the throwing out of work hundreds of thousands of men. We have been reaping the harvest and the reverse is coming. How quickly we recover from it will depend largely on who is at the head of the country when the break comes."

COAL STRIKE COMMISSION.

ARGUMENT OF CASE BEGINS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—Arguments for and against the demands of the United Mine Workers, which will continue before the Coal Strike Commission for the next six days, were begun today, when the miners, through Daniel J. McCarthy of Hazleton, made the opening argument. McCarthy was followed by former Congressman Brumm of Minersville, who made a general argument, and Henry Demarest Lloyd of Chicago, who confined his efforts to the question of recognition of the union, and yearly trade agreements.

The operators will begin their argument tomorrow, continuing three days and closing with George F. Baer, president of the Reading Company. Then Clarence S. Darrow of Chicago, the principal counsel for the miners, will take all of Friday and Saturday until adjournment in summing up and in answering President Baer. President Mitchell is expected here during the week. Whether he will address the committee depends upon developments.

SKY-SCRAPER TENANTS.

BAD OUTLOOK FOR THEM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—No progress was made today in the efforts to bring about a settlement between the striking elevator conductors and the Building Managers' Association. The indications tonight are that a general strike in all buildings controlled by the association will be ordered. The number of buildings under the jurisdiction of the association is estimated as from 68 to 132, nearly all the principal office buildings in the city being included.

The call for a general strike will include the elevator starters, janitors, window washers and scrub women. It will also include the local teamsters, as the latter have been ordered by their union to refuse to deliver fuel at any buildings where the men are out. As most of the buildings have a sufficient supply of fuel on hand to last only a few days, it will be but a short time until the tenants will be without light and heat unless the controversy is settled.

SANTA FE OFFICIALS.

CONFERRING WITH MEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 9.—Third Vice-President Kendrick of the Santa Fé is here in conference with the trainmen of the road in regard to an increase of wages. Twenty per cent. increase is demanded by the men, but it is thought a compromise will be effected on a basis of 15 per cent.

In addition to Kendrick the following Santa Fé officials are here: General Manager Wells of the Coast lines, General Manager Nixon of the Gulf lines, General Superintendent Cain of La Junta. These, with General Manager Mudge and General Superintendent Hurley, comprise the whole staff of head officials of the entire Santa Fé system.

Actors Join Union.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 9.—The members of the Garden Theater Company have affiliated with the ranks of organized labor by joining San Francisco Charter No. 3 of the Actors' National Protective Union. The initiation ceremony was performed yesterday by Harry Conlon and William Courtright, the pioneer minstrel.

"Shot Firers" Bill Dead.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 9.—The "shot firers'" bill introduced in the Legislature which threatened at one time to prevent an agreement between the operators and miners in their convention here, was recommitted today, which means its death.

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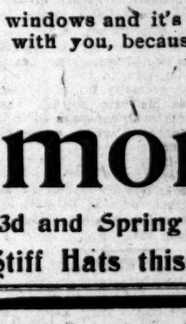

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BUSINESS.

Credits were exchanged at the Los Angeles clearinghouse yesterday in the sum of $852,409.70; same period last year, $915,997.52.

Heavy world's shipments of wheat caused weakness at the start in the Chicago pit. A reported advance at Paris caused a rally, but the close was near the bottom at 79¼@79⅝ for May. Broad and liberal trading in New York stocks brought a steady close with prices only a fraction below the best.

THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

It looks as if the Mead-Works bill is somewhat in the same position that Mr. Pickwick found himself in when he woke up in the public pound, and in reply to his anxious inquiry as to the whereabouts of his friend, received from the bad small boys who surrounded him the jeering response: "Yer ain't got no friend!" At least one might judge so from a brief dispatch from San Francisco, published in The Times of Sunday.

William E. Smythe, late candidate for Congress from the Eighth District, was formerly a great friend and admirer of the California Water and Forest Association. The notorious Mead-Works bill was, however, too much even for Mr. Smythe, whose instincts are good, although he is sometimes inclined to be somewhat impracticable and uncertain in his ideas. He recently, when in San Francisco, in response to an invitation of the Unity Club, delivered an address in opposition to the Works bill. John D. Works, the leading author of the bill, accepted the invitation to be present, but after interviewing his associates in the Water and Forest Association, he withdrew his acceptance, although the coming discussion had been given wide publicity. He excused himself on the ground that he had an important legal engagement requiring his presence in Los Angeles. However, he sent a "letter of explanation," which was read at the mass meeting held in San Francisco on Sunday evening at the invitation of the club, a report of which meeting was published in the telegraph columns of The Times of Monday. In the letter the judge generously offered to remit at once, on receiving a statement of any expense to which the club had been put by reason of his non-acceptance. At the close of Mr. Smythe's excellent and convincing address, a report of which was also published in The Times of Monday, an earnest invitation was extended to any person in the audience who desired to defend the measure, but nobody seemed to be willing to take up the gage of battle. The meeting adopted by a rising vote a set of strong resolutions condemnatory of the bill.

The club had also communicated with Edward F. Adams, agricultural editor and editorial writer on the Chronicle, an earnest champion of the Mead-Works bill—and who, by the way, has a son in the office of Elwood Mead at Washington—inviting him to represent the affirmative side of the debate. Mr. Adams said he would be only too delighted to do so, but unfortunately had an engagement elsewhere.

Then the club had communicated with William Thomas, formerly president of the Water and Forest Association, and still chairman of its Executive Committee. Mr. Thomas also declined to participate in the debate. The dispatch states that the audience seemed especially amused at the statement of William Thomas that he thought the proposition to discuss the bill in public an "indelicate one."

It is not surprising that those who have been standing sponsor for this undesirable and dangerous piece of legislation should be unwilling to recognize their putative infant, after its true character and lineage have been so thoroughly exposed. The defeat of this objectionable measure, which is now regarded as certain, is another tribute to the power of the press. In all probability, had there been no determined and outspoken press in California, not only the Mead-Works bill, but the Ralston bill, and other bad bills, would by this time have become laws, without the knowledge of a great majority of the people of the State, and without the power on part of the small minority who might learn of them to prevent such action. It is true that one prominent California paper has indorsed the Mead-Works bill, and a few wobbly publications, which are always found on the fence, have gone so far as to say that, "if it is not a bad bill, then it is possible that it may be a good bill." Almost unanimously, however, the newspapers of California have denounced this measure, and have done so in no uncertain terms, so that those who may vote for it cannot claim to be doing so without a full knowledge of the facts.

Great is the power of the press, both for good and for evil, a power which should only be intrusted to those who are conscientious, and capable, and clean.

BETWEEN TWO DANGERS.

With legislators on the Pacific Coast voting for demagogic laws that would make legal the intimidation of American citizens who insist upon earning their living after their own legal fashion, and would, at the same time, discourage the investment of capital in legitimate manufacturing enterprises, and with overgrown trusts attempting to dictate to our legislators at Washington as to what they shall or shall not do, in the way of restrictive legislation, it looks, indeed, as if the good ship of state had sailed into dangerous waters, where a high grade of seamanship, or rather statesmanship, will be needed to keep her off the rocks. We appear to be drifting between the Scylla of union tyranny and the Charybdis of corporate aggression.

It seems scarcely credible that a man of the intelligence and experience of John D. Rockefeller should commit the grave blunder of sending telegrams to several United States Senators, reading about as follows: "We are opposed to any anti-trust legislation. Our counsel, Mr. ——, will see you. It must be stopped." Yet that this has been done is affirmed, and reaffirmed. Moreover, it is added that, following the telegrams, an attorney for the Standard Oil Company arrived in Washington, and called upon members of the Senate, from whom he received a cool welcome, so that he was not encouraged to prolong his visit. One would suppose that a man of Mr. Rockefeller's shrewdness would be able to see that such a gross attempt to dictate to the highest legislative body of the land must inevitably react upon himself and the corporation of which he is the head. Still, we cannot refrain from asking ourselves, if such things may be done "in the green tree"—for there was scarcely any effort at concealment in this affair, as it is reported—what may we expect to be going forward in the dry?

As we have said, the good ship of state is nowadays sailing in difficult waters, between the dangers of the labor trust on the one side and the overgrown Wall-street trust on the other. Fortunate, indeed, it is for the country that at this juncture we have at the helm of the good ship Columbia a man who may be depended upon as a safe pilot, one who fears the threats of the labor agitator as little as he does those of the kings of the trust, a man who will insist, so long as he has any say, that all Americans, great and small, rich and poor, shall be absolutely equal before the law, and shall respect the law. More power to his elbow.

Not content with having one side of Broadway made impassable by the pavement preliminaries, somebody is now ripping up the other side in order to lay down cast-iron mains of some sort. The crossings at Fourth street are almost impassable, and to drive to the curbs thereabouts is out of the question. Merchants are being damaged in their business and the public is being injured in its feelings in the most outrageous manner. Just why all these varied improvements should be entered upon at once is not entirely clear. It would have been the part of good management to complete the work on one side of the street before making the other impassable and dangerous to the multitude. It is in order to get Broadway made whole at the earliest possible moment.

The condition of the City Jail beggars description, as The Times has frequently shown by picture and letterpress. An immediate improvement must be had at whatever cost. This beautiful and prosperous community cannot afford to permit the existing conditions to continue. Even the meanest and most abject beggar has a right to be treated a little better than the beasts, at least. But today in this thriving and progressive community of humane and considerate human beings we are treating the weak and unfortunate far worse than we treat our dogs and horses. Jail conditions must be reformed, and that at once.

THE RIGHTS OF THE COUNCIL.

In view of certain remarks made yesterday by Mayor Snyder with reference to the City Council's refusal to confirm the nomination of Mr. Willard, it is pertinent to inquire whether the Mayor is also the city charter, and likewise the whole thing?

If the Mayor is to have the power and privilege to run the city to suit himself, without any interference from the Council, why did the citizens of Los Angeles go to so much trouble and expense to frame a new charter, vote on it, and submit it to the Legislature? Why did we not all simply agree to vest complete authority, legislative and executive, in a board of one, to be called "Snyder?"

The fact is that the new city charter sets forth the duties of the Council quite as fully and plainly as those of the Mayor, and the functions of the former are as important as those of the latter. It is the Mayor's duty to appoint commissioners, and it is the Council's to confirm or reject. The Mayor would be as well warranted in assuming that he has power of life and death over citizens as in claiming that his appointments stand without regard to the views or action of the Council.

The Council acted strictly within its rights, and was faithful to the letter and spirit of the charter in its vote rejecting the nomination of Mr. Willard to be Civil Service Commissioner. Its powers in the premises are similar to those of the United States Senate over the nominations of the President, and are no more to be overridden. The Mayor may be a heavy-weight, but he can't tilt up the charter.

A great deal of garbage has been printed about the Mayor's angelic devotion to the righteousness of civil-service reform in selecting his appointees. The sincerity of this indefatigable partisan, whose only political allegiance is to the "Snyder party," may be gauged by his threats of yesterday to punish the Councilmen politically unless they confirm his nomination of Willard, and his declaration that he will keep on sending in Willard's name—all of which is not only Snyderesque folderol, but silly defiance of the city's organic law.

In view of the possibilities of reform contained in the new charter, and the assurances of the Mayor that he would execute its provisions in good faith, it is unfortunate that on the first test the Mayor should throw to the winds all other considerations but the success of his own projects and the triumph of the "Snyder party."

But as the Council is evidently disposed to stand fast, and the Mayor's position is so obviously and ridiculously untenable, there is no danger of much harm resulting from Snyder's quixotic attempt to break through the charter like a bronco buster on a spree. It is evident that the charter framers did wisely in not making the city government a board of one, by the name of "Snyder." It is quite apparent that the City Council is needed at the old stand. If all the checks and hobbles and bridle bits were removed from the Mayor, what antics he would cut up!

A DANGER THAT THREATENS.

James J. Hill, president of the Northern Securities Company, is quoted in a dispatch from New York as having declared that "as labor unions killed industrial England, so are they destined to bring about a grave financial reverse in the United States, and the country is swiftly approaching that crisis. It may come," in Mr. Hill's opinion, "in a year, or it may be deferred until the Presidential year; but it is bound to come."

It may be that Mr. Hill is something of an alarmist; but it is evident to the careful student of events that there is at least some basis for the note of warning which he sounds. It is not exactly true that labor unions have killed industrial England, but they have so seriously injured the industrial prestige of England that it is extremely doubtful whether that country will ever regain the industrial supremacy which it so long endured. By deliberately limiting production, and by the thousand and one unnecessary and foolish restrictions which they have thrown about the prosecution of British industries, they have made it increasingly difficult for English manufacturers to compete with their industrial rivals, and so have greatly lessened the sum total of the products of labor turned out in England. The lessening of English products has, of course, resulted in there being less work for English workingmen, and at the same time it has helped the market for goods made and sold outside of England.

The blight of arbitrary unionism seems to have settled down permanently upon English industries, dooming them to a process of slow decay, unless some effective specific be found for this industrial disease. It seems unnecessary to point out, further, that the principal sufferers are the English workingmen themselves. In the nature of things, they are bound to receive the greatest ultimate injury from the shortsighted policies and methods which they have pursued for so many years.

American trade-unionists are pursuing, to a great extent, methods and policies identical with those which have been pursued in England, to the loss of England's industrial supremacy and prestige. Adherence to these methods will as certainly bring about the ultimate decay of American industries (unless the movement shall be effectively blocked,) as it has wrought the undoing of British industries. The danger may not be so near at hand as Mr. Hill imagines—and again it may be. This will depend somewhat on time and circumstances.

If the American people can be made fully aware of the menace, and the seriousness of it, the threatened peril will be averted. But the danger lies in part in the fact that while trade-unionists are (and in the nature of things they must continue to be) only a small minority of the great general public, they comprise an insistent, steady, aggressive force, which meets with only passive resistance. The American public is too large, and too much engrossed in the affairs of its own strenuous life, to take specific notice of evils which it regards as of comparatively little importance. It is, moreover, inclined to be optimistic, patient, tolerant. "Many evils of our social, industrial and political life have cured themselves," says the great American public; "why should not the palpable evils of industrial organization cure themselves in the processes of evolution, under the greatest and the grandest government ever organized by men?"

And so the great, good-natured, hopeful and self-confident American public goes on its strenuous way, with a sort of fatalistic notion that everything will come out all right in the end. It requires the shock of some great event to arouse the American people to the imminence of a serious danger. When they have been fully aroused, they are invincible—irresistible. Herein lies the hope and the promise of the situation. The people may be trusted to find a remedy for even the most virulent of social and industrial ills, when the distemper shall have been definitely and correctly diagnosed. The diagnosis is now in progress.

The mental microbe who is busy turning in false fire alarms all over the city, and afterward writing insulting anonymous notes to the Chief, will indulge in his little variety of joke about once too often one of these large days. He will just about have turned in a false alarm, and be standing idly on the curbstone, gleefully watching the fast, futile run of the fire department, and chuckling with merriment, when some observant, dutiful police officer, armed with a lignum-vitae club, loaded to scatter, will walk up to him and swing his stick on the intellectual duplex with such thrilling momentum that this champion idiot will retire into the silent realms of mental oblivion so far that subsequent proceedings will not interest him much. Let it be soon.

Congressman Richardson of Tennessee, Democratic leader of the House, will retire from politics shortly and take up private life. His good example will likely soon be followed by several other noted Democratic statesmen, some of whom will do so because private life has a much greater charm for them, some because they feel that they are better fitted for the more humble vocations of life, and some will simply do so by request. The latter will probably be largely in the majority.

The City Jail is undergoing extensive changes and repairs. Besides other improvements, the cooking department has been thoroughly overhauled and cleaned, and a new steam-cooking plant, with all modern appliances and conveniences, has been installed. The patronage of the general public is now respectfully solicited. Boarding by the day or week. American plan. Special inducements to transient trade. Good location, nice, bright sunny rooms. Walking distance. No children. eod tf.

A San Diego citizen died in a barber chair the other day. This is a rare instance, but there has been many another man who has been brought dangerously near to the Dark River by the same subtle agency, and then allowed to slowly grope his way back to earth again.

Burglars at Norfolk broke into a store and stole a quantity of canned meats. If it is the ordinary variety of canned meats, the proprietors of the store will suffer no loss eventually, as it will either escape from its captors in a few days, or be turned loose, and will then walk back home.

Possessing both the white and black champion prize fighters of the world, it may be said that Los Angeles, pugilistically as well as municipally, is now the champion of champions.

THEY ALL WANT IT.

What the traveling public demands is not greater speed on railroad trains, but the surety of arriving at their several destinations intact, so to speak. This thing of a passenger reaching home roasted to a turn, or rolled up like a side of beef, in a sheet, has its drawbacks.

City Solon Todd, "The Hermit Councilman," claims that the Council recently worked a contemptible little razzo on him during his absence. What right has he to kick? What did he mean by being absent, anyway? It is certainly a hermit's business to be at home all the time.

So far as Jupiter Pluvius is concerned this is certainly the most promising season that Southern California has seen for many years. Nature has touched the button; let us do the rest.

There have been a whole flock of protocols pouring in upon Mr. Bowen. But if there are any ultimatums flying in the air they haven't hove in sight yet.

Yes, dear tourist, the weather has been a little cool, lately, but, if you will notice, it has been even more so in some other parts of the country.

The prospect is that favorite son Parker of New York won't be able to trot out enough parents to make his calling and election sure.

Even Mr. Works is now disclaiming ownership or paternity of the Works bill. This is the end. Let 'er r. i. p.

San Diego has organized a city chain gang, and started out with fifteen charter members.

The Utah jobbers are coming. But it is the variety of jobbers that have but one wife per jobber.

"Good morning, Carrie."

A "Liner" out of position:

NOTICE—J. PIERP MORGAN WILL BE IN Pasadena about March 1st for a limited time. Parties having anything that needs a little monopolizing are requested to call early. Merging of new and second-hand railroads a specialty. Corporations half-souled while you wait. Bulling and bearing done on short notice. Terms, strictly cash.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. Clyde Fitch has written more plays—and, perhaps, has made more money out of them—than any other American playwright. The reason for the almost uniform success of his plays is not far to seek. He has found the touchstone of success in the drama, as Demosthenes found it in oratory, in "action, action, action."

There is always something doing when a play by Clyde Fitch is before the footlights. And it is something which every auditor wishes to see and to hear. His plays have human interest. Mr. Fitch is not always consistent. His dramatic stories often lack the element of probability, and are sometimes very much overdrawn and bizarre. He frequently compels the children of his fancy to do impossible things (impossible in real life,) and to say things that are not usually said in the ordinary course of human events. But Mr. Fitch always manages to keep things moving—and this is what is most needed to sustain the interest in a theatrical performance.

"In Lover's Lane," a play by Mr. Fitch, which opened a three-nights' engagement at the Los Angeles Theater last evening, we have a comedy-drama of constant and keen interest, albeit its characters, or most of them, are much overdrawn; exaggerated, let us say, for theatric effect. In spite of much that is adventitious, the play has a great deal of the subtle quality superficially defined as "heart-interest." It is liberally sprinkled with laughter and with tears which follow hard upon. It is not in any true sense a "purpose play," yet it teaches an enduring lesson, the text of which is the power and sweetness of human kindness.

The lesson is taught rather by inference than by homily. It is not rammed into the soul with a pile-driver.

There is no need to recount the incidents of the play in synopsis. It is all about an enthusiastic young minister, the Rev. Thomas Singleton, who makes an attempt to "broaden" a rural community which is narrow—very, very narrow. The results of his efforts to introduce billiard tables and playing cards into Eddysville, may be more easily imagined than described. Of course a pretty love-story runs through the play. If it didn't, half the interest would be absent.

The scenery and stage furnishings are very good, and a capable company of players interpret the several roles. Charles Macklin, in whose keeping is the role of the Rev. Thomas Singleton, is somewhat stiff and formal, at times, in declamation and in action; yet he presents, on the whole, a feeling and forceful interpretation of the role which fairly fulfills requirements.

Leopold Lane does good work in the fourth act, the scene with little Dick being an approximate simulation of "the real thing." B. B. Gillespie presents a quaint character as Uncle Bill, and W. W. Ashley gives a good character interpretation as Hosea Brown, the storekeeper. Harry G. Bates, as Mr. Skilling, and Charles Calder as Deacon Steele, each presents a well-conceived character study.

Angela Ogden delineates a sweet and lovable character very satisfactorily as Mary Larkin. Ida Rock is eminently satisfying, and even convincing, in the role of Mrs. Herbert Woodbridge. Lottie Learn leaves almost nothing to be desired in her interpretation of the hoidenish role of Simplicity Johnson, and Jeannette Elberts offers a strong and consistent character sketch as Aunt Melissy. The other characters are acceptably sustained.

The engagement will close with tomorrow night's performance. A "bargain matinée" will be given tomorrow afternoon.

The famous Russian pianist, Ossip Gabrilowitsch, will be heard in one concert only in this city at the Los Angeles Theater, under the management of L. Behymer, on Thursday evening of this week. Gabrilowitsch is regarded as the greatest exponent of piano music in his native country, and second only to Paderewski in regard to ability in other countries.

BURBANK. "Pudd'nhead Wilson" is a most entertaining story and it was not badly told at the Burbank Theater last night, by the Neill Company. There is a great deal of horse play introduced, especially in the last act, that cheapens the presentation to some extent, but, all in all, there is much to be satisfied with. Neill, in the title role, gives what one would call a finished characterization were it not that he overestimates the fact that the proper conception of the part is to make it "quiet." If he would put just a little more vitality into it he would really make an ideal "Pudd'nhead." Frank McVickars does beautifully as York Driscoll, Gertrude Keller is all that could be asked as Rowy, and Donald Bowles, as Chambers, performed by far the best work of the whole cast. It is safe to predict that the play will make a very popular week of it at the Burbank.

ORPHEUM: "Very good show." If you want the final analysis stand in the foyer and listen to the people who paid their money. The manager listens by the door of the box office. He believes them, and not the newspapers. Last night it was "very good show," with unimportant variations.

This week's aggregation of vaudevillians make up one of those rare creations—a well-balanced vaudeville programme, the eye, ear and brain of all classes being satisfied. There are playlets and musical numbers and acrobatic feats, almost all of equally high order.

The Scott brothers, two young Frenchmen of superb physical beauty, perform amazing feats of strength, skill and agility, one of the men balancing on his head on a slack wire, the end of which is held in the teeth of the other, also standing on his head on a high pedestal. Collins and Hart do an acrobatic stunt that would put an ordinary mortal in the hospital in two minutes, but their horse play is really funny and many of their pranks original.

Filson and Errol give in more finished acting than general a sketch entitled "A Daughter of Bacchus," which depicts that oldest of mythical games of a wife feigning intoxication to bring an inebriate hubby to his senses. The "discovery," "quarrel," "reproaches" and "reconciliation" are all there, and as it is acted with finished ability, it pleases those who see humor in a drunken wife and husband staggering, lolling and groveling about the stage. Jules and Ella Garrison repeat with great success their startling leaps from the sublime to the ridiculous in a burlesque on heroic drama and tragedy. Morrisey and Rich once more give their farce, "A Breach of Promise." The Frasettis please again with the xylophone. The biograph shows new and interesting views. Lastly, the misguided Fields and Ward reinflict ennui by their so-called comedy and parody.

EVASIVE GROVER.

Leaves Room for Surprise. Presidential Bee is Again Sweet Music for Him.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

CINCINNATI, Feb. 5.—In response to a direct inquiry as to whether he was a candidate, or would accept a nomination for the Presidency, the following has been received from former President Cleveland:

PRINCETON (N. J.) Feb. 5, 1903.

To the Editor of the Times-Star, Cincinnati—Dear Sir: I have received your letter of the 4th inst. [illegible] behalf of the Times-Star to get an impression regarding my political views related to the next Democratic nomination for the Presidency. I do not possibly bring my mind to the point that a sentiment or opinion I may have that makes any expression from me upon the question of the least importance.

Yours very truly,

GROVER CLEVELAND.

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10	31,760	26	
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Not another music [illegible] the Coast so large and fine as our new [illegible] South Broadway. A big, five-story building voted solely to the musical instrument[illegible] have filled it with stock, of all kinds of musical instruments and glad to show everyone our fine new store. Call in and hear the new Pianola, and see the Chickering Hall.

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Makes a specialty of CLEANING, PRESSING, DYEING and ALTERING of gentlemen's and Ladies' clothing. $1 a month keeps a suit each week cleaned and pressed. Phone Joseph 1544

PERHAPS GLASSES ARE NOT NEEDED.

Perhaps the trouble you have had with your eyes is only a weak muscle. A Marshutz examination will tell exactly the condition of your eyesight.

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CHILDREN'S CLOTH[illegible]

To order, Infants' Outfits, Cr[illegible] Wools and Yarns, Art Needle W[illegible]

Beeman & Hend[illegible]

New Store. 847 S. B[illegible]

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That answer the correct day. You can buy a time piece here and not pay a fancy price for it.

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It is a pleasure for us to our diamonds in all the ent mounts. Loose gems you can rely on them being less and of perfect These are points we'll be to explain. Come in and

Montgomery Bros.,

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TUESDAY, FEBRU[illegible]

CAL RAILROAD RECORD

CHAMBRA PASSENGERS DON'T LIKE TERMIN[illegible]

ST AGAINST GETTING O[illegible] AT HOBO CORNER.

ested Condition of the Spri[illegible] t Car Tracks—General West[illegible] t of the Lake Shore Line Her[illegible] Byrne Goes to Albuquerque.

ons of the Pacific Electric Ra[illegible] Company who live at Alhambra an Gabriel do not like it a b[illegible] e at this end of their ride th[illegible] mped at First and Los Angel[illegible] (notorious as "hobo corner,") a[illegible] this terminus are left to foot [illegible] center of the city. And, in ord[illegible] e a car home again, they a[illegible] ied to paddle through the sa[illegible]

tofore there has been an Alhamb[illegible] r that ran along Spring stre[illegible] Fourth to Commercial, transfe[illegible] assengers to the broad-gauge li[illegible] Angeles street. But now th[illegible] has been abandoned.

congested Spring street t[illegible] was the explanation given by [illegible] Electric man yesterday.

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LAKE SHORE MEN.

s L. Clark, general weste[illegible] agent of the Lake Shore Rail[illegible] Chicago, arrived in Los Angele[illegible] ght. Mr. Clark has jurisdictio[illegible] ll freight matters west of Chi[illegible] o the Pacific Coast, in connectio[illegible] he Lake Shore road, and othe[illegible] York Central interests, and h[illegible] ombines business with pleasur[illegible] here he will inspect the ne[illegible] office recently opened by th[illegible] hore at No. 224 South Broadway [illegible] ill then proceed to visit the oth[illegible] agencies located in San Fran[illegible] nd Seattle, Wash. and may per[illegible] eside to open an office in Por[illegible]

Dr. Clark speaks very freely of th[illegible] raffic conditions that now exi[illegible] nes east of Chicago, and says a [illegible] ere tested to their fullest capac[illegible] he good prospects of continue[illegible] s. John A. Gill, Pacific Coas[illegible] of the Lake Shore Railway, a[illegible] esterday from San Francisco [illegible] Dr. Clark, and will accompan[illegible] a trip along the Coast. M[illegible] will return to Los Angeles fo[illegible] 's sake before returning Eas[illegible] accompanied by his wife an[illegible] her, who will remain in Southe[illegible] nia for several weeks.

BITS OF NEWS.

L. Smith, manager of the Pacifi[illegible] o Railway Company, has gon[illegible] accompanied by his wife. The[illegible] led to Washington, D. C., on ac[illegible] of the illness of Mrs. Smith.

s L. Courtney, traffic manage[illegible] Kaibab and Nanaimo Rail[illegible] here from Victoria, B. C. [illegible] hursday, February 12, an excu[illegible] round the Santa Fé's "Kli[illegible] trail" will be run under th[illegible] s of the Third Presbyterian [illegible] of this city.

Byrne, general passenger agen[illegible] Santa Fé, left for Albuquerqu[illegible] ay, to be gone the rest of th[illegible]

H. Tristram, assistant genera[illegible] ger agent of the Wabash Rail[illegible] company, is in the city for [illegible] ys. Mr. Tristram's headquar[illegible] in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is bub[illegible] er with joy because the Wabas[illegible] to be running into Pittsburgh [illegible] aving Mr. Tristram on his tri[illegible] this territory is Ross C. Clin[illegible] city, Pacific Coast representativ[illegible] Wabash, who met him at th[illegible] Cañon, and will travel with hi[illegible] Coast. They will be in Los An[illegible] for several days, before goin[illegible]

DOLL "COLUMBIA."

Arrived Home in Boston in Safety [illegible] etter from Mrs. Horton Tells Ha[illegible] y.

esponse to many inquiries re[illegible] from California regarding the [illegible] doll "Columbia," which spent [illegible] time on this Coast on her wa[illegible] the world, Mrs. Elizabeth H[illegible] has written as follows to The [illegible] from Boston:

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[illegible]emary of Mumm's Extra Dry.

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Wigs and Toupees

[illegible] order. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. [illegible] r & Co., No. 707 South Broadway.

Sanitarium Foods

[illegible]ish your table with the nutritive [illegible]rtful to the taste. Ask your grocer.

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Leaves Room for Suspicion That Presidential Boo is Again Sweet Music for Him.

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LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.

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PROTEST AGAINST GETTING OFF AT HOBO CORNER.

Suggested Condition of the Spring-street Car Tracks—General Western Agent of the Lake Shore Line Here—J. Byrne Goes to Albuquerque.

Patrons of the Pacific Electric Railway Company who live at Alhambra and San Gabriel do not like it a bit that at this end of their ride they are dumped at First and Los Angeles streets (notorious as "hobo corner,") and that this terminus are left to foot it to the center of the city. And, in order to take a car home again, they are compelled to paddle through the same.

Heretofore there has been an Alhambra car that ran along Spring street from Fourth to Commercial, transferring passengers to the broad-gauge line at Los Angeles street. But now this line has been abandoned.

"I suggested Spring street too often," was the explanation given by a Pacific Electric man yesterday. "It's a shame of it," said a prominent Alhambra citizen yesterday, as he stepped off down the street, five or six blocks to take the car. "The third rail is a solution for all this difficulty. The convenience of the public demands better service. The city authorities ought to make it possible for interurban roads to get somewhere near the center of the city. Unless something is done, an important delegation from Alhambra and adjacent territory will wait upon the City Council and with a good deal of make a very loud roar over the inconvenience."

LAKE SHORE MEN.

W. L. Clark, general western freight agent of the Lake Shore Railway, Chicago, arrived in Los Angeles last night. Mr. Clark has jurisdiction over all freight matters west of Chicago to the Pacific Coast, in connection with the Lake Shore road, and other New York Central interests, and his visit combines business with pleasure. While here he will inspect the new offices recently opened by the road here at No. 234 South Broadway, and will then proceed to visit the other freight agencies located in San Francisco and Seattle, Wash., and may perhaps decide to open an office in Portland, Or.

Mr. Clark speaks very freely of the present traffic conditions that now exist between this city and Chicago, and says all lines are taxed to their fullest capacity, with good prospects of continued business. John A. Gill, Pacific Coast agent of the Lake Shore Railway, arrived yesterday from San Francisco to meet Mr. Clark, and will accompany him on a trip along the Coast. Mr. Clark will return to Los Angeles for a week's rest before returning East. He is accompanied by his wife and daughter, who will remain in Southern California for several weeks.

BITS OF NEWS.

W. H. Smith, manager of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, has gone East, accompanied by his wife. They will be called to Washington, D. C., on account of the illness of Mrs. Smith's mother.

George L. Courtney, traffic manager of the Nanaimo and Nanaimo Railway, is here from Victoria, B. C.

Next Sunday, February 12, an excursion train to Santa Fé's "Kite-shaped track" will be run under the auspices of the Third Presbyterian Church of this city.

T. Byrne, general passenger agent of the Santa Fé, left for Albuquerque last night, to be gone the rest of the week.

H. Tristram, assistant general passenger agent of the Wabash Railway Company, is in the city for a few days. Mr. Tristram's headquarters are in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is busy now with joy because the Wabash is about to be running into Pittsburgh. Accompanying Mr. Tristram on his trip through this territory is Ross C. Cline of this city, Pacific Coast representative of the Wabash, who met him at the City of Canon, and will travel with him along the Coast. They will be in Los Angeles for several days, before going North.

THE DOLL "COLUMBIA."

Has Arrived Home in Boston in Safety. Letter from Mrs. Horton Tells Her Story.

In response to many inquiries received from California regarding the famous doll "Columbia," which spent some time on this Coast on her way around the world, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Horton has written as follows to The Times from Boston:

"Columbia,' the doll which spent so many days on the Pacific Coast on her journey around the world, returned to her owner in Boston on Christmas Day. Her traveling coat, covered with tags of the express companies that sent her free from Boston to California, and her traveling case with the names of the many places visited, not only in the United States, but the Philippine Islands, and many other countries, make her a most interesting doll. She has no gifts except money for charity in the different places she visited [illegible], but some were at last found that the children, who begged that she might carry back to her country some remembrance from the happy days among them. While in the Philippines over a year, Miss Morse claimed, and loved her little own, and were quite unwilling to her leaving them. When there was no other alternative, she showed a great fiesta and Columbia Day, to be celebrated next year. One little native child, when she has to return to the States, said, 'Oh, she is the wife of Columbia, isn't she?' Another, on hearing an officer say, 'I wish I could talk to her, so silent,' said, 'I understand and talk to her with me, but English went from the islands to China, Japan to Africa, taking nearly three years to make the journey home, through the Mediterranean Sea and the Suez Canal. Many interesting readings, telling of her journeyings by sea and land, while [illegible] to a prescription give her by Dr. A. Clark of Los Angeles, she left Honolulu without contracting the Philippine Islands."

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CROPS NOT INJURED BY THE COLD WAVE.

REPORTS FROM ALL SECTIONS SHOW FROST WAS TOOTHLESS.

Even the Young Lemons Were not Bitten, and the Orange Growers Throughout Southern California are in the Best of Spirits.

Inquiry at the local railroad offices yesterday elicited the important information that the cold weather of last week did no damage to crops in Southern California. During the last day or so the initial lines in this territory have been receiving reports from their agents in the citrus sections that must allay any fears from the harsh results of frost to the orange or lemon.

"It is reported to us," said one railroad representative yesterday who is in a position to speak of those points on the Southern Pacific, "that the cold weather of last week did no damage—none whatever. These reports, I believe, are absolutely correct. In the first place, we have had an abundance of seasonable rains and the ground was thoroughly soaked. For this reason the moisture readily took up the cold in the air, which, of course, sank to the bottom of the trees, and the fruit was safe. Such is the theory, and, when we have a dry winter, orchardists frequently irrigate if cold weather threatens.

"Anyway, during the last chilly spell the thermometer did not stay down long enough to do any damage. If in any locality it reached 28 deg., it was only for a few minutes, and then was soon back to 30 or 32. Well, such temperature does no damage—unless it is very prolonged; even then conditions must be just right. But the California orange has a rather thick rind filled with oil, and, I tell you, it has got to be mighty cold over a long period for the frost to reach through an oleaginous jacket an eighth of an inch thick and nip the fruit. The temperature in a refrigerator car is frequently 20 deg."

A Santa Fé official was of the same opinion as to damage done. "It didn't hurt a thing," said he, referring to the cold weather. "Even the young lemons are not injured."

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

New School District Asked for in the West Adams-street Section—Teachers Advanced.

At the meeting of the Board of Education last night, the business was generally of a routine character, dispatched with precision.

The following teachers were transferred from the substitute to the regular list: Grace A. Hecht, Ada M. Reynolds, Grace Stuart, Marie Toland, Eleanor Hammack, Cecelia Norton, Mary McQuarrie and Ethel Robinson. The following were elected substitutes: P. H. Hammond, Emma French, Joseph G. Hamer and Sadie T. Pepper.

The contract for furnishing the Commercial High School with a list of books adopted by the board, was awarded to Stoll & Thayer, for $362.53, they being the lowest bidders.

The West Adams Street Improvement Association petitions the board to form a new school district in that section, and erect a new building. It is suggested that this could be done to better advantage for the children of the district, than by adding the proposed eight rooms to the Harper school. The matter was referred to the Building Committee.

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Excellent quality bleached linen Damask Pattern Cloths, 2x2½ yards, finished with beautiful borders on four sides; pretty new patterns, and instead of $3.75, the usual value, we say $3.25 only. Same quality cloth as above, size 2x3 yards, worth fully $4.50, offered at $3.75.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	44	24	34	New York	38	24	30
Washington	46	34	40	Buffalo	36	24	30
Pittsburgh	44	26	35	Cincinnati	36	28	32
Chicago	28	18	23	St. Paul	26	10	18
St. Louis	36	30	33	Kansas City	40	30	35
Los Angeles	60	43	52	Jacksonville	70	46	58

*The maximum is for February 8; the minimum for February 9. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 9.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.18; at 5 p.m., 30.21. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 44 deg. and 57 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 63 per cent.; 5 p.m., 55 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 63 deg.; minimum, 43 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Rain fell generally in the Southwest on Sunday, turning to snow in the mountain. At Los Angeles, .3 of an inch fell, making 8.60 inches for the season; .20 fell at San Diego. Yuma reports .01 for the past twenty-four hours; Phoenix .06, and Flagstaff 4 inches of snow. This storm appears to have resulted from an area of low pressure in the Colorado Valley and Southeastern California. High pressure and low temperature prevail in the Rocky Mountain and Sierra sections, and the State forecast indicates heavy frost for Southern California Tuesday morning.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday; frost, light to heavy, according to locality.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Weather conditions and general forecast. Cloudy and threatening weather prevails over Washington, Oregon and Idaho, and fair weather over the southern portion of the Pacific Slope. Rain or snow has fallen over Washington, Oregon and Northern Idaho. The pressure has risen rapidly over the southern portion of the Pacific Slope and fallen over the northern. The storm over British Columbia this morning has moved rapidly eastward, and is now central north of Montana. High winds, generally southwest and west, are reported from the northern stations. The temperature has risen slightly in all districts, except the San Joaquin Valley, where there has been a sharp fall. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Tuesday; light to fresh northwest wind.

Southern California: Fair Tuesday; light west wind.

Nevada: Fair Tuesday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; light northwest wind.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; light north wind.

Arizona: Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Tide Table.—For San Pedro:

		High.	Low.
Tuesday,	Feb. 10	7:55 a.m.	1:29 a.m.
		9:08 p.m.	2:34 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 11	8:43 a.m.	2:27 a.m.
		9:44 p.m.	3:12 p.m.
Thursday,	" 12	9:29 a.m.	3:11 a.m.
		10:21 p.m.	3:51 p.m.
Friday,	" 13	10:14 a.m.	3:57 a.m.
		10:59 p.m.	4:27 p.m.
Saturday,	" 14	10:59 a.m.	4:42 a.m.
		11:35 p.m.	5:03 p.m.
Sunday,	" 15	11:45 a.m.	5:31 a.m.
			5:38 p.m.
Monday,	" 16	0:13 a.m.	6:19 a.m.
		12:37 p.m.	6:22 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 17	0:58 a.m.	7:24 a.m.
		1:40 p.m.	7:12 p.m.

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We wish to announce that on February 14, 1903, we will remove our offices to Nos. 116 and 118 E. Second st., between Main and Los Angeles sts.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Man, team and wagon, $3.50 day, 2 months; mine capenter, $3.75; butcher for Arizona, $50 etc.; mill bench hand, $3.50; washer for livery, $45; man and wife as cook and housework, $50 etc. to $60 etc.; orange orchard man; boiler-maker, $4; office boy, $15 etc.; bee man; 3 millwrights, $4; canvassers; shoe repair man, $12; woodchoppers, $1 for 4-foot wood, $2.25 and $2.50 for stove wood; man and wife, $50 etc.; coachman and cook, $50 etc.; 2 milkers, $30 etc. to $35 etc. each, etc.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Housegirls, Monrovia, Pasadena, Arizona and country places, $25 and $30; housegirls, city, $30 and $20; girls to assist, $15 and $20; second girl, $20; family cook, $30.

WOMEN'S HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Baker, $10 week etc.; another, $8 week etc.; lunch-counter man, $25 etc.; restaurant waiter, $8 week; night clerk and porter, $30 etc.; bell boy, $10 etc.; second cook, do pastry, $50 etc.; all-around cook, small place, $45 etc.; laundry starcher, $12 week; colored cook, $35; laundry foreman, $20; collar and cuff ironer, $12; shop baker, $60 etc.; second, same place, $40 etc.; dishwasher, $7.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Second cook, country, $50; helper, $25 etc.; matron with hospital experience, $40; cook, city, $35 etc.; kitchen helper, $6 week; starch ironers, restaurant waitresses, $8 and $9 week; 2 meal girls, $6, $6.50; pantry girl, $20 etc.; girls for mixed work, $25 etc.; vegetable cook, $40 etc.; pastry helper, $30 etc.; boarding-house cook, $40 etc.; chambermaids, city, $15 and $18; Redlands, $20 etc.; Santa Barbara, $30 etc.; Pasadena, $20 etc.; waitresses, city and country, first-class beach and commercial and tourist hotels.

10 HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED — GOOD HUSTLERS FOR THE Twentieth Century Health Club, men or women, to begin as solicitors and work up to positions in office; one of the best propositions ever offered. Address J. LOWE, Casa Loma, Redlands, Cal. 10

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS CLERK IN shoe store, Albuquerque; bright youth with small experience preferred, or one capable of training right, commencing salary about $60; transportation furnished suitable party. 215 COPP BLDG. 10

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 642 S. SPRING. TEL. BROWN 1622. Strictly first-class Japanese agency. All kind of help promptly furnished. No charge to employers.

WANTED—BUSINESS MAN, IF WITH knowledge of furniture preferred, as assistant manager of wholesale business; must have $1500 cash, income of $100 month. 215 COPP BLDG. 10

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN barber trade; 8 weeks' constant practice; success and position guaranteed; catalogue mailed free. GORDON BARBER COLLEGE, 417 N. Main. 11

WANTED—THOROUGH BUSINESS MAN for active position in wholesale and manufacturing firm; must have $3500 cash; steady income of $200 month. Apply 215 COPP BLDG. 10

WANTED—LADY BOOK-KEEPER, DOUBLE entry, work light; also receive cash from clerks, sales few but large; ladies without practical experience, don't apply. 215 COPP BLDG. 10

WANTED — REGISTERED DRUGGIST FOR seaside drug store, $60 a month; easy hours. Inquire DR. BILLINGS, Hotel Van Nuys Broadway. 10

WANTED—2 LABORERS, $2; 3 HARNESS-makers, $2.75 a day; cooks, $12 and $15; waiters, $10; dishwashers, pantrymen, boys for laundries. INDUSTRIAL BUREAU, 108 W. Third. 10

WANTED—BOYS WISHING A GOOD POSItion in the messenger service, with chances for advancement. Call on G. H. MELLEN, superintendent, A. D. T. Co., 245 S. Spring.

WANTED—COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS, ranch hands, house and window cleaners by the day, hour or contract. JAPANESE EMPL. AGENCY, 503 W. Sixth. Joseph 7441.

WANTED—MEN, OUR FREE CATALOGUE explains how we teach the barber trade in shortest possible time, and best method known. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DRIVE DElivery wagon; must be well acquainted with city. Call at the BERLIN DYE WORKS, corner E. Washington and Griffith ave. 10

WANTED—CLOTHING MAN WHO CAN INvest about $1200 cash to take charge of small store in city; income always exceeds $200 month. 215 COPP BLDG. 10

WANTED—AN OLD PLUMBER FOR REpair work; must be a first-class man; none others need apply. ED MAYO, 170 E. Colorado st., Pasadena, Cal.

WANTED—C. R. HANSEN'S EMP. AGENCY, 210 E. Second st., teamsters, laborers, tunnel men for Nevada; free fare, ship today. W. J. POWER, Successor. 10

WANTED—A CARPENTER, ONE BLOCK south from where the Hollywood car line separates from the Santa Monica line, near N. HOOVER ST. 10

WANTED—A STRONG INTELLIGENT BOY 16 to 18 years old to work in candy factory; wages to commence, $4 per week. Apply 124 W. FIFTH. 11

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED LUBRICATing oil salesman; give references and state salary expected. Address L, box 8, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ABOUT 14-YEAR-OLD BOY FOR office and delivery; answer in own handwriting. Address R, box 55, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—CARRIER WITH WHEEL FOR route on Daily Times. EDWARDS, Subscription Department, 5 p.m., or 749 E. 20TH ST. 10

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFfice. All kinds labor, day or week; housecleaning. TEL. PETER 5321. 607 S. SPRING.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER; salary $75 per month; poor ones need not apply. Address S, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—2 YOUNG MEN OF NEAT APpearance to introduce a specialty. Call after 4 p.m., W. D. COOK. 721 S. Main. 13

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO WORK ON a fruit ranch. Eastern man preferred. Inquire of I. GIBBS, 4900 Compton ave. 10

WANTED — STEADY, RELIABLE BOY about 14 to deliver for grocery store. Apply at 1028 TEMPLE ST. 11

WANTED—SALESMAN IN REAL ESTATE office, $125 monthly if proficient. Address O, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—BOYS OR YOUNG MEN TO work on shaking table. TROY LAUNDRY CO., 715 N. Main st. 14

WANTED—A CLERK ABOUT 20 YEARS of age, must have wheel. Address S, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED — CARPENTERS, FIRST-CLASS finishers by the day. J. W. CHALMERS, 423 Stimson Blk. 10

WANTED — EXPERIENCED ASSISTANT porter; must have reference. THE HUB CLOTHING CO. 10

WANTED—RELIABLE BOYS TO DISTRIBute advertising matter. Inquire Room 226, S. SPRING ST. 10

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MEAT CUTter and solicitor. Apply this a.m. at 2213 S. GRAND. 10

WANTED—MAN OR GOOD SCHOOL BOY on place to handle calves. 1922 DARIEN PLACE. 11

WANTED—DELIVERY WAGON BOY AT PACIFIC DYE WORKS, 518 S. Hill st. Call at once. 10

WANTED—A GOOD BOY WITH WHEEL. L. SIMONSEN, 129 S. Spring st. 11

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL AT DILLINGHAM'S, 213 W. Second st. 11

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BELL BOY. BELLEVUE TERRACE HOTEL. 12

WANTED — ONE BELL BOY AT HOTEL BROADWAY. 10

WANTED—
Help. Female.

WANTED—BRIGHT, ACTIVE MEN AND WOMEN TO SOLICIT FOR THE BEST SELLING ARTICLE IN THE MARKET. QUICK SALES, LIBERAL COMMISSIONS. APPLY C. W. SMITH, 223 S. HILL ST. 10

WANTED — COOK AND DOWNSTAIRS work, no laundry, Pasadena, $30; housegirl, country, $25; housegirl, Coronado, $30; second girl, country, $25; same, city, $20; light housework, close in, home nights, $5 week; 3 waitresses, hotel, city, $25; waitress and chambermaid, first-class hotel, $25 each; man and wife, cook, coachman, $65. MISS DAY, 121½ S. Broadway. 10

WANTED—TWO WAITRESSES, TWO CHAMbermaids and pantry woman, same hotel, country, $25 each; first-class family cooks, with references, $35 and $40; waitress, Pasadena, $25; cook and helper, country hotel, $65; 8 first-class second girls, city, Pasadena, Altadena, Riverside, $25; many good places for general housework, at good wages. MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 10

WANTED—HALF DOZEN OR MORE FIRST-class waitresses at "Hotel del Coronado" at once. See H. F. NORCROSS, Coronado Agent, 200 S. Spring st., Los Angeles. 11

WANTED—MAKERS AND APPRENTICES for millinery. WONDER, 219 S. Spring. 10

WANTED—
Help. Female.

WANTED—RANCH COOK, $30; WAITRESSes, first-class place, $25, beach, $30; chamberwork, $20, home nights; 3-day chamberwork, $15; housework, $30; second work, $20, mixed work, $25, city and country; kitchen helper, $30; restaurants, two meals, $7.50. KEIFFER & WEAVER, 71 Bryson Block. James 5... 10

WANTED—CASHIER, GROCER, $60; BOOK representative; clerks, trimmings, underwear, seamstress, chambermaid, nurse, housekeeper, millinery, chocolate dipper, house, hotel, factory help, crockery, saleslady, 10 inexperienced salesladies. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 12

WANTED—VEGETABLE COOK, $40 ETC.; second cook, $30; restaurant cook, $10 week; boarding-house cook, $40 etc.; pastry cook's helper, $30 etc.; matron, hospital experience, $60 month; see our ad. under Male Help. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 303 S. Broadway. 9

WANTED—A GIRL, NORMAL STUDENT preferred, who will assist in housework mornings, evenings and Saturdays; room, board and small salary; good home for desirable party. Call at NEW YORK DENTAL PARLORS, 321½ S. Spring. 10

WANTED—ATTENDANT OPTICIAN ART goods, salesladies, cloaks, underwear, groceries, stationery, druggist, sundries, housekeeper, pantry, waitress, chambermaid, house factory, office work. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 10

WANTED—WOMEN, GENERAL HOUSEwork, Alhambra, $25; Pasadena, $30; 2, city, $20; 1, city, $15; nursegirl, $12; all good positions; many places open. MISS M'KENZIE, 143 S. Broadway. 10

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED GIRL TO WAIT ON TABLE AND DO CHAMBER WORK AT THE FIGUEROA HOTEL. SALARY $25 PER MONTH, ROOM AND BOARD. STEADY POSITION. 10

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN TO TAKE charge of infant baby, good home and salary to right party, one who has been a mother preferred. MRS. WILSON, 431 San Joaquin st. 11

WANTED—LADY CLERK IN LACE DEpartment, $10 a week; girls for housework, $25 and $30; lady cook, $35 or $40, room. INDUSTRIAL BUREAU, 108 W. Third. 10

WANTED—BRIGHT INTELLIGENT YOUNG woman with experience to work in retail laces, etc.; must furnish reference. Call 10 a.m., 350 S. BROADWAY. 10

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; German, Swedish preferred; must know how to cook; 3 in family; $25. 444 PARK VIEW AVE. 10

WANTED — FINISHERS ON COATS; ALSO good buttonhole makers; steady work and good pay. Call once, ROOMS 39 and 40, Bryson Blk. 11

WANTED—PIANO PLAYER AND SALESlady for music store. Salary to start $6. References required. Apply 525 BYRNE BLDG. 10

WANTED — YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED women who can cook for light housework in small family, from 9-3. 2330 S. GRAND AVE. 13

WANTED—GIRL FROM 10 TO 14 YEARS old, to go on farm. Inquire ROOM 42, ARGYLE HOTEL, corner Second and Olive. 11

WANTED—GIRL TO HELP IN SMALL dining-room noon and night, for board; experience unnecessary. 429 W. SECOND ST. 10

WANTED — COMPETENT HELP FOR dressmaker; also an apprentice. No. 9 COLONIAL FLATS, Eighth and Broadway. 10

WANTED — GIRLS TO ENTER NURSES' training school. EMERGENCY AND GENERAL HOSPITAL, 418 Crocker st. 10

WANTED — APPRENTICE TO TRIM ON men's hats; pays while learning. At J. MILLER'S, 126 N. Main st. 12

WANTED—APPRENTICE TO LEARN MILlinery trade. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241-43 S. Broadway.

WANTED — WOMAN TO ASSIST WITH housework and nurse young baby. Apply 840 CORONADO ST. 11

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; family 3, $25. ROOM 20, 452½ S. Broadway. 11

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; small family; wages $20. 230 E. 17TH ST. 15

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HELP AT THE EXCELSIOR LAUNDRY, 424 South Los Angeles st.

WANTED—HELP, A DESIRABLE PROPOsition for a good stenographer. 712 TRUST BLDG.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAKERS. APply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241-243 S. Broadway.

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK IN A private family of 3 adults. 2327 W. NINTH ST. 12

WANTED—GIRLS FOR BINDERY WORK. HENRY J. PAULY, 213-215 New High st. 11

WANTED—DEMONSTRATOR IN STORE. Apply E. C. HEGLER, Hollenbeck Hotel. 10

WANTED—AT ONCE, 2 CHAMBERMAIDS. Apply at office HOTEL SOUTHERN. 10

WANTED—ONE FIRST-CLASS WAITRESS. BELLEVUE TERRACE HOTEL. 12

WANTED—NEAT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1302 W. 22D ST. 11

WANTED—
Situations. Male.

WANTED—COMPETENT LADY STENOGrapher desires permanent position with reliable firm; experienced; understands insurance; good references. 'Phone Red 4634, or address S, box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER WHO HAS HAD 18 years' experience in office work wants set of books to write up or position as collector; now employed a part of the time. Address M, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—ROUGH CARPENTER WANTS to build yard fences, gates, outhouses; send your orders; price $2.75 per day, furnishing own helper. Address S, box 86, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED — SALESMAN, YOUNG, WITH few thousand dollars, wants position with idea of taking interest in business if satisfactory. Address S, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—POSITION WITH ESTABLISHed real estate firm by active, energetic young man of good address; references first-class. Address S, box 95, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN OF GOOD habits wants position on private place; used to horses and cows, lawn or garden; best references. MALPAS, 620 S. Hill. 10

WANTED — BY JAPANESE, EDUCATED young man, wishing to visit Japan, position as valet; wages no object. ODACHI, 214 Commercial st. 12

WANTED—SITUATION BY HOLLANDER not using liquor or tobacco, to work in city or country. Address R, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—W. H. JACKSON, ARCHITECT and builder, 1226 Elysian Park ave., will build your home and furnish plans at low figures. 15

WANTED—BY PLUMBER, A PLACE AS helper, nearly 3 years' experience union shop. Address S, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED — SITUATION BY ENGINEER who understands amalgamating and concentrating. Address S, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—HAVE YOU A BARN, SHEDS, fences, gates, or any rough carpenter work to be done. Address S, box 37, TIMES OFFICE

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN wishing to learn the tailor's trade, or will work at anything. 240½ S. BROADWAY. 10

WANTED—SITUATION; ELEVATOR RUNner, sober and steady, first-class reference; 6 years last office building. P. BOX 398. 10

WANTED—LADY WISHES CARE OF INvalid or assist in family sewing and upstairs work. Address H, 1429 ESSEX ST. 10

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COACHMAN with the best of references, wants a position. Address K, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—SITUATION, JAPANESE, GOOD cook and general housework in family. Address S, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 12

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN POSITION AS assistant book-keeper; experience; references. Address P, box 13, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, POSITION AS chain man on surveyor's gang. Apply P. O. BOX 234, Pasadena, Cal. 10

WANTED — WORK AS A PLUMBER OR otherwise. Address H. CANNON, 1825 E. First. 'Phone park 1159. 10

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED person as clerk or cashier. Address S, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—GARDEN WORK OR KITCHEN work. JOHN BRODMAN, Eureka, 244 South Main. 10

WANTED—DO YOU NEED GOOD MEN TO work: just TEL. MAIN 465.

WANTED—
Rooms with Board.

WANTED—ROOMS AND BOARD BY A family of 3 adults, father, mother and son; references given; address, with full particulars, stating terms, etc. Address R, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—NICE SUNNY ROOM & BOARD for man and wife in private family, walking distance, permanent if satisfactory, $35. Address S, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOMS, 2 SUNNY rooms with bath and breakfast, ground floor; near car; reference. Address R, box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—YOUNG LADY DESIRES ROOM, breakfast and dinner in refined private family for $4 per week; location southeast. 787 W. 15TH. 10

WANTED—
Help. Male and Female.

WANTED—HELP MALE AND FEMALE—C. R. HANSEN & CO.
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NOW AT
121 S. Los Angeles st., between First and Second. 'Phone Main 283, same number. 'Phone Main 283.
W. J. POWERS, Successor to C. R. Hansen & Co.

WANTED—HELP MALE AND FEMALE—C. R. HANSEN & CO.
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NOW AT
210 E. Second. 'Phone Main 283, same number. 'Phone Main 283.
W. J. POWER, Successor to C. R. Hansen & Co.

WANTED — CARPENTERS; PICK AND shovel men, $2 per day; teamsters, $2; hands for ranch work, $30; blacksmith, $35 and board; girls for general housework, $25 and $30; chambermaids, waitresses, cooks, etc. INDUSTRIAL BUREAU, 605 S. Spring. 10

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN TO sell jewelry to the trade. Address S, box 80, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—
Situations. Female.

WANTED — A MIDDLE-AGED WIDOW wishes a position as working housekeeper in a small family or for widower; best of references as to character and ability; call or address MRS. B., 720 S. Carondelet. 10

WANTED — BY MIDDLE-AGED WIDOW lady who is a good plain cook and neat housekeeper, situation in family of two or three adults; close in. Address S, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—WOMEN'S EMPLOYMENT BUreau; employment for women exclusively; reliable help furnished for every position; leave your orders. MISS M'KENZIE, 143 South Broadway. 10

WANTED—ELDERLY WOMAN WOULD ASsist in light housework in small family for room and board and very small wages. Address S, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COLORED COOK wishes a situation in private family, or boarding-house. Call 145 SAN PEDRO ST. Phone Red 1931. 10

WANTED—$2000 ON 15 ACRES HIGHLY improved, 6 miles from city, private parties preferred. Address R, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—FIRST AND SECOND COOKS want positions in hotel. Apply 513 EAST EIGHTH ST. 'Phone Jefferson 5832. 10

WANTED—SECOND WORK BY THOROughly experienced girl; wages $25. Address R, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED — SITUATION BY CAPABLE, well-recommended German woman for general housework. JOHN 9101. 11

WANTED—WOMAN WANTS WORK BY day: call mornings, N.E. corner of KEY WEST and 32D ST. 10

WANTED—COOKING OR HOUSEWORK IN a private family; go out of city. 2019 S. MAIN ST. 10

WANTED—SITUATION AS CHAMBERMAID or dishwasher. Address S, box 48, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—SITUATION AS CHAMBERMAID or dishwasher. Address 417 CENTRAL AVE., room 8. 10

WANTED—DO YOU NEED GOOD GIRLS to work: just TEL. MAIN 465.

WANTED—
To Purchase. Real Estate.

WANTED—THERE IS CONSIDERABLE INquiry for country homes, chicken ranches, fruit farms, alfalfa and dairy farms; from 5 acres to 100 acres; improved and unimproved; if you wish to sell it will pay you to see us.
HERON & DE LA VERGNE,
10 219 Stowell Bldg.

WANTED—ORANGE ORCHARDS, WALNUT orchards, poultry and dairy farms. We have a large number of customers for these classes of properties arriving from the East in February and March. List your properties with us at once. Call or write. CALIFORNIA COLONIZATION AND REAL ESTATE CO., Los Angeles office, 210 Trust Bldg. 14

WANTED—AN 8 OR 10-ROOM MODERN house, arranged for two families, or one that can be so arranged, or a double cottage, good-sized lot, close in, southwest or west; clean side of street preferred; about $4000 to $6000. OSCAR B. SMITH, 219 West Fifth st. 10

WANTED—HAVE CUSTOMERS FOR FINE city residences, valued between $40,000 and $4,000; also for cattle ranch in Arizona; owners wishing to sell send name and address to J. FRANK BALLARD, 101½ South Broadway, Los Angeles. 10

WANTED—IN CENTRAL OR WEST HOLLYwood, about 70x150 lot, for immediate erection of a six-room cottage; price not to exceed $350. Address P. O. BOX 482, Los Angeles. 11

WANTED—BEST LOT BETWEEN MAIN, Figueroa, First and Pico that $15,000 cash will buy; don't answer unless snap. Address S, box 100, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMING-house. If the price is right, you money is ready. Address 324 BYRNE BLDG., or 'phone James 7401.

WANTED—
To Purchase. Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND FURniture and household goods in any quantity. If you have one piece or house full, we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone Red 2111. COLYEAR'S, 333 S. Main.

WANTED—IF YOU ARE GOING TO SELL your household goods, I will pay you more than any other party in Los Angeles. ISAACSON, 211 S. Main. 'Phone James 7141.

WANTED—HOUSE OF 5 TO 7 ROOMS, either one or one-and-half story; must be in good condition, to be moved. Address S, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 13

WANTED—MILITARY LAND WARRANTS; $5 paid persons telling who has one, whether I buy or not. R. K. KELLEY, Kansas City, Mo. 22

WANTED — SECOND-HAND FURNITURE. We pay an honest cash price. Tel. Peter 6851. DANNING & NAUGLE, 553 S. Olive.

WANTED—I PAY MORE THAN ANYONE else for store fixtures, showcases, etc. Ring up James 4121. 216 E. FOURTH ST.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND HOISTING ENgine in good condition. Apply at once. O. L. SWETT, 226 S. Spring.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE HOUSE TO move, 5 or 6 rooms. Address KELLOGG, 416 Bullard Block. 11

WANTED—TO BUY SMALL RESTAURANT; no agents. HENRY MILLER, 332 E. Second.

WANTED—CAST-OFF CLOTHING, NATHAN BROS., 156 W. Fifth st. Tel. Jos. 2181.

WANTED—TO BUY A FEW DIAMONDS. KERNER, 131 W. First st.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—HOUSES—FLATS—ROOMS—ALL THE TENANTS ALL THE TIME. RAPID, RELIABLE RENTING. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, MANAGERS OF RENTAL PROPERTY. 323 S. Hill st., Wright & Callender Bldg.

WANTED—TO RENT 5 ACRES OR MORE, with water, suitable for chickens, and vegetables; will small house, outside city; terms must be reasonable. Address S, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT OR BUY 7-ROOM, modern house, high ground, southwest. Address, with terms, 942 BEACON ST. 11

WANTED—TO RENT A BASEMENT FOR a candy shop; give location. Address S, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—BRIGHT, ACTIVE, RESPONSIble agent of good address and appearance, to represent us in Los Angeles, Pasadena and vicinity; agents should make large salaries, as commissions are liberal. Only responsible persons wanted, who can furnish satisfactory references. Call early Monday morning and secure a good assignment of territory. Apply at C. W. SMITH, 223 S. Hill st. 10

WANTED—AN AGENT. A SAN FRANCISCO automobile manufacturing firm wishes to enter the Southern California field and for that purpose solicits the investment of rustling local capital in Los Angeles. Any business man with $8000 to $10,000 to invest in an independent business of present substantial standing, and unlimited prospects, please address U. A. CO., room 44, 36 Geary st., San Francisco. 15

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE AGENTS TO sell in all parts of California or East, stock of a genuine, honest mining company, whose properties are the making of a great mine; this is a good and quick seller. Call or write to A. RAYMER, 428 Byrne Bldg., Los Angeles.

WANTED — SOLICITORS; VERY ATTRACtive policy; combination accident and health; easily sold; hustlers can make big money; man or woman. THE NORTH AMERICAN ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO., 402 Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles. 10

WANTED — BOOK AGENTS ON FIRST-class propositions. BELFORD, ELLIS & CO., publishers, 507 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—COOK WANTS WORK BY THE day. 834 STANFORD AVE. 10

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—I MAKE A SPECIALTY OF writing 15 and 15-year endowment policies with an old, conservative company; ages 15 years and over taken, both sexes; I will also buy 10, 15 and 20-year policies, not matured. P.O. BOX 855.

WANTED—PARTIES HAVING PAYMENTS falling due who need temporary assistance; also have few desirable properties on which advances have been made for sale at less than first cost. Rooms 300 to 337, COPP BLDG. 10

WANTED — TO LOCATE THE UNDERground streams of water on your place; tell you how far to and through them. S. R. DEACON, 503 W. 27th st., Los Angeles. 21

WANTED — A WIDOWER WANTS GOOD woman to give a home, and board his infant baby; state terms. Address S, box 55, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—PIANO TUNING $2. 1000 references. BLOOMFIELD, 1224 W. Washington. Phone Park 629. 11

WANTED — POCKET SIDE LINE FOR drummer. Address S, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—THE LADY WHO CALLED AT 543 S. OLIVE Sunday to call again; has boy. 11

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. SEVENTH. Tel. Black 3151.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—$375; HALF INTEREST IN splendid paying well-established business here in city, outdoor work; experience not necessary; will bear closest investigation. Call mornings. JULIAN J. LEWIS, 114 Stimson Block. 13

WANTED—PARTNER, LADY OR GENTLEman, with limited capital, to invest in a good-paying business at a lively summer and winter resort. Address S, box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED — PARTNER IN WELL-ESTABlished office business, or will sell a working interest reasonable, young man preferred. Address S, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED accident insurance business, a hustler more than capital required. Address R, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH $200 TO ASsist in office part of the time, on good paying basis. Address S, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—PARTNER, MANUFACTURING business, big profits. 218 BROADWAY, room 421. 11

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WHO WANTS A FINE HOME?
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These eight houses we quote today are unusually good bargains. Located in the best residence sections of Los Angeles where property will increase in value rapidly. For homes or for investments there are no better buys within the boundaries of this city. Any piece of property advertised under the Althouse name is worth buying.

SPECIAL AT $2700.

Six-room cottage, new and modern. This is a complete cottage with every convenience. Beautiful tinted and decorated walls, cove ceilings, polished floors, fine electric fixtures; shades are all up; screens are all in; the very best plumbing has been put in this house; pretty reception hall. A most conveniently-arranged house, homelike and cosy. It is a bargain at $2700.

SPECIAL AT $3400.

A handsome Union-ave. cottage with six rooms. This place is new and modern and the house was built for a home—thus it lacks none of the comforts and conveniences. The location is splendid and the surroundings all beautiful. Pretty reception hall, bath with porcelain tub, well finished throughout; plenty of windows and closets. Parties who own this are forced to sell. They have put a sacrifice price on it.

SPECIAL AT $3750.

The location is first-class, near 9th st., in the Westlake district. Handsome, modern, six-room cottage, well built, splendidly finished with every modern convenience; nice reception hall, pretty parlor, bright dining-room and a modern kitchen; sleeping rooms have many windows and closets. Unusually well built for a house of this size.

SPECIAL AT $4600.

Near the corner of 10th and Beacon sts.—a fine location. Located on a beautifully elevated lot with granite retaining wall. New and modern eight-room house, well arranged, comfortable, convenient; fine reception hall; large dining-room; modern kitchen; very fine lighting fixtures; sleeping rooms are large; fine bath with porcelain tub. This is a very desirable house in a gilt-edge location. At $4600 it is a bargain.

SPECIAL AT $4800.

Here is a decided bargain. A handsome, new, modern residence with eight large rooms, polished floors, elegant fixtures, good cement cellar, large bathroom with porcelain tub; linen and medicine closets; beautiful reception hall. This house is built after model plans and its arrangement is perfect; has every modern convenience and is a very attractive home. This house is located one block from four car lines. A beautiful home.

SPECIAL AT $5000.

In the Westlake district near 9th st. Finely-elevated lot with handsome retaining wall across the front; a new, modern, eight-room house; fine lighting fixtures; splendidly finished throughout; many windows; good large closets; fine bath with porcelain tub; well arranged and homelike. Sleeping rooms are all good size; substantially well-built house; handsome outside as well as inside. Beautiful home for only $5000.

SPECIAL AT $6250.

An elegant nine-room residence, finished downstairs in Flemish oak; solid oak floors, finest lighting fixtures; artistically tinted and decorated walls; fine brick mantel in the library; dining-room is large with beautiful windows; large bedrooms finished in white enamel; plenty of closets and windows; superb bathroom; cement basement with furnace. Everything about this place is strictly modern and up to date. A very handsome attractive home that could not be duplicated today at the price of $6250.

SPECIAL AT $7000.

Elegantly located in the Westlake district, lot 50x150 feet to alley. Eight-room residence just completed; heavy quarter-sawed oak floors downstairs; elegant lighting fixtures; very finest nickel plumbing; fine mantel in the large drawing-room, which is finished in white enamel and decorated with the very finest hand decorations; the beautiful library has a fine mantel with large fireplace, also bookcases and window seats; many large windows in the large dining-room, which also has a very fine buffet and window shelf for plants; modern kitchen with two pantries; laundry tubs; cement basement; large bedrooms all finished in white enamel with polished floors; large linen closet; fine bath; a most attractive place for a home.

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FOR SALE—HOUSES—
ELEGANT MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE, LONE STAR TRACT; THIS IS A SOUTHWEST CORNER, 75x140 TO ALLEY; THIS HOUSE HAS ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, GOOD BARN, ETC.
—$6000—

ALVARADO ST., EAST FRONT, FINE 9-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE, LOT 50x150 TO ALLEY; YOU WILL LIKE THIS PLACE; IT IS CHEAP
—AT $8000—

W. 16TH ST., NO. 840. BEAUTIFUL 2-STORY MODERN RESIDENCE; THIS PLACE IS BEAUTIFULLY TINTED AND DECORATED AND HAS FINE CEMENT BASEMENT.
—$5000—

UNION AVE., ELEGANT MODERN RESIDENCE OF 9 ROOMS, FANCY BRICK FRONT, TINTED AND DECORATED, LARGE ROOMS, FINE FIREPLACE—A VERY PRETTY PLACE.
—$5750—

SOUTHWEST, FINE 7-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, CEMENT BASEMENT, LAWNS, ETC.
—$3100—

MODERN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE, SOUTHWEST, HAS FURNACE, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, CEMENT CELLAR, IN FACT, EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE.
—$3850—

MINES & FARISH,
10 404 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR SALE—IN A FINE NEIGHBORHOOD, southwest, a nearly new residence of ten large rooms, modern, beautiful home for large family, or can be used as two flats of 5 rooms; lot 60x215; all kinds of fruit trees in full bearing; chicken corral, etc. By owner, No. 412 W. 21ST ST.

FOR SALE—5 NEW MODERN COTTAGES, corner 18th and Hope, $500 cash and $25 monthly. ALEX MACKEIGAN & CO., agents, 616 Trust Bldg. Tel. M. 88. 13

FOR SALE—
Houses.

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ATTENTION, HOMESEEKERS!

NORTHWEST, ON THE CREST OF A HILL, A SUBSTANTIAL 6-ROOM HOUSE, EAST FRONT, LOT 40x140 TO ALLEY, WITH A STONE COPING THREE FEET HIGH IN FRONT, LAWN, PALMS AND A NUMBER OF OTHER SHADE TREES. THE OWNER WILL REMOVE PERMANENTLY TO HOLLISTER IN A FEW DAYS, AND TELLS US TO SELL HIS HOME AT ONCE AT $2250, ON A MODERATE CASH PAYMENT, BALANCE $20 PER MONTH, INCLUDING INTEREST. IT IS ABOUT 15 MINUTES' WALK WEST OF THE COURTHOUSE, WITH 2 CAR LINES. SEE IT EARLY TODAY; IT IS WORTH $2750.

BARRY & ENLOE, 335 W. FOURTH ST. 10

FOR SALE—
BY MAGNER, GREELEY & SMOCK,
SUITE 411, GRANT BLDG.

First—We have removed from 214 W. Second st. into suite 411, Grant Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway.

Second—We handle only what we know to be good investments. Our specialty is desirable homes in Los Angeles.

Third—If you are looking for a home, it will pay you to consult us, as we have a thorough knowledge of the city and its real estate valuations, and our desire is to so deal with homeseekers, investors and property owners in such manner that may inspire confidence, and, bear in mind, we only ask legal commission.

Fourth—Our experience and knowledge has been obtained by keeping pace with the advancement of our city, and through close application, we have secured some of the best bargains obtainable in the way of desirable homes.

CALL—AND—SEE—US.
MAGNER, GREELEY & SMOCK,
SUITE 411, GRANT BLDG.,
COR. 4TH & BRDY. 'PHONE JOSEPH 4736. 9

FOR SALE—141 N. GRAND AVE. (BETWEEN CALIFORNIA ST. AND BELLEVUE AVE.) A NEARLY NEW TWELVE (12) ROOM HOUSE, ON FIFTY-FOOT LOT. THIS PROPERTY IS SITUATED ON AN EXCELLENT BLOCK, IN A FIRST-CLASS NEIGHBORHOOD, AND THE DISTANCE IS ONLY FOUR SHORT BLOCKS FROM THE COURTHOUSE. THE HOUSE IS WELL BUILT, AND IS SO WELL ARRANGED FOR A ROOMING-HOUSE THAT EVERY ROOM CAN BE UTILIZED FOR RENTING PURPOSES. YOU CAN SECURE MORE ROOMERS THAN YOU CAN ACCOMMODATE, AT REMUNERATIVE PRICES. THIS PROPERTY TODAY IS WORTH $7000, BUT OWNER MUST SELL AND WILL CONSIDER $6200. THERE IS AN INCUMBRANCE OF $4200 ON THE PROPERTY, AND GOOD COTTAGE OR DESIRABLE LOTS WOULD BE CONSIDERED IN EXCHANGE FOR THE EQUITY OF $2000. ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.) EXCLUSIVE AGENTS, 301 CURRIER BLDG. TEL. MAIN 1377.

FOR SALE—

Listing with us insures quick sales.

A. B. SCHLOESSER & CO., SOLE AGENTS.

BURLINGTON AVE. RESIDENCE.

CHOICEST PART OF WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

Nearly new 11-room residence, with three beautiful mantels; elegantly tiled bathroom with instantaneous heater; oak floors; all bedchambers enameled; residence most beautifully and artistically decorated throughout by Italian artist; Flemish dining-room with stained glass windows.

INSPECT TO FULLY APPRECIATE.

258-260-262 Wilcox. James 5266.
Former offices, Schloesser Blk., Chicago. 10

FOR SALE—
$...500—A fine corner, close in, southwest, with a splendid 7-room cottage, nearly new and completely furnished; all new less than a year ago. The property is in fine condition.

$2400—On Magnolia ave. near Washington st.; a fine new 5-room cottage, modern and O.K.; all the conveniences necessary to make a comfortable home; you can get possession of this in a week if you buy; $450 cash, balance easy terms. See

GRAY & THOMAS,
10 110 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—BETWEEN MAIN AND FIGUEROA and between 30th and 35th, we have some notable bargains, for example, a 10-room modern house, with hard-wood finish, barn, etc., for $3500; and an 8-room house for $3100. We have one 10-room one that is a beauty—lot 60x216, house all in light finish; two porcelain bath tubs and instantaneous heaters, 3 mantels, everything fine—for $6500. This is on 31st, near Figueroa.

S. K. LINDLEY & CO.,
10 Grant Building, rooms 601 and 602.

FOR SALE—
ONE OF THE MOST MODERN HOMES IN THE WILSHIRE TRACT; 11 ROOMS, WITH STATIONARY BASINS; THIS HOUSE WAS BUILT FOR THE OWNER'S HOME, AND FROM BASEMENT TO ATTIC IS THE BEST MONEY WOULD BUY; IT IS ONE OF THE BEST EQUIPPED HOUSES FOR COMFORT IN OUR CITY, AND IS WORTH MORE THAN IS ASKED FOR IT. COME IN AND SEE ME ABOUT IT.

D. A. MEEKINS,
10 101 N. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—$5250—HERE IS THE GREATest snap in an eight-room, two-story, strictly modern and up-to-date residence in the city, located in one of the most desirable residence locations in west part of the city; east front; lot 50x140 to 20-foot alley, and only 150 feet from one of the best electric lines; brown stone and pressed brick front; piped for furnace; wired for electricity; piped for gas, and all connections made; cove ceilings, polished floors, upstairs and down; beautifully hand-decorated throughout; house new and cost $3350 to build, which can be proved by the bills; lot is worth $2000, making $5850 actual cost; will sell within the next few days for $5250. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 13

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FOR SALE—
$1000—4-room cottage, close in.
$1000—5-room cottage on E. 12th.
$2500—5-room cottage on Ruth.
$1500—Large lot, close to Westlake.
$650—Large lot on Essex, close 14th.
$400—Lots close to Central, $10 per month.
40 acres best land, in Indio Valley, with plenty of water and small house; a snap; one mile from Thermal station.
25 acres, best walnut ranch in California, with all improvements; 1 mile of Rivera; will sell all or any part.

H. N. COX,
10 259 Wilson Bldg.

FOR SALE—
$5000—One of those fine 8-room houses on Menlo ave., on 80-foot street; high building restrictions, high-class residents; close to car line, southwest, just off Adams st.; this place is A1 in every particular with all the modern conveniences, including porcelain bath, toilet, gas, electricity, hot and cold water; if you are wanting a nice home in a high-class residence district, lot 50x150, it is worth the above price; call at our office and we will be glad to take you out to the property.
GRAY & THOMAS,
10 110 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—3020 VERMONT AVE., 8 ROOMS, oak floors in main rooms, balance of floors finished pine; combination light fixtures, tinted; stationary wash tubs in screen porch; toilet, hallseat, cool closet, decorated complete, finished in white cedar; price $4250. M. O. TEMAIN, owner, 3016 Vermont ave. 15

FOR SALE—SPLENDID LOCATION; A very desirable, modern 6-room cottage, lot 50x150 to alley. 713 W. LAKE AVE. 13

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
$1550—$250 cash, $15 per month, cottage, large lot, close to ... line.
$2200—$300 cash, $25 per month, up-to-date cottage, pretty street.
$1950—$250 cash, $20 per month, improved street.
$2100—$300 cash, $30 per month, never occupied, Menlo Park ...
$1600—$200 cash, $15 per month, cottage, 15th and San Pedro.
EDWARD ...
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FOR SALE—
7-room house, southwest, ...
7-room house, W. Adams, ...
5-room house, southwest, ...
5-room house, E. Eighth, ...
3-room house, $100 down, ...
4-room house, $100 down, ...
5-room house, $200 down, ...
ALSO
Choice corner on California st., ... rooming-house.
SINCLAIR ...
10 ...

FOR SALE — AT SANTA ... Fifth st., north of Oregon ... house, on a beautiful and ... lot, 100x150 feet to 20-foot alley ... ly furnished, for $3000. ... light, gas, etc. Will sell ... necessary. Immediate possession ...
S. K. LINDLEY ...
10 Grant Block, ...

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE ... a modern, up-to-date home ... call on me as I have a ... will sell at a sacrifice if ... I need the money. I built ... year ago, has 10 large rooms ... room, 3 mantels, 1 brick, ... natural pine, hand carved ... throughout; cement basement ... 2 laundry tubs, 3 lavatories ... tion Burlington ave.; the lot ... dress S, box 92, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
COTTAGE OF 5 ROOMS, ALMOST NEW, 17TH ST., NEAR CENTRAL, PRICE ONLY ... CAN ARRANGE TERMS. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. HILL ST., SOLE AGENTS.
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FOR SALE—
$...—9 rooms—one of the ... homes—one block west of ... large lot, east front; ... will rent and pay interest ... Do not misunderstand us ... be sold. See us at office. No triflers or telephoners ... We must do business. EDWARD C. CRIBB, ...

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN IN A ... tage on Pico near Figueroa; ... southwest; also the best ranch ... and the cheapest ranch in ... finest walnut grove in Riverside ... 10 acres in Lamanda Park; ... ranch in Fresno county; and ... Riverside county; a fine ... 2½ acres on Vernon ave. J. C. ... Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE—
$3000—Was $3200; 7 rooms, ... $850—60x125, 29th near Maple. The above are real snaps.
DAVISON ...
Rooms 244-5 ...
Branch, 1931 CENTRAL.

FOR SALE—SANTA CLARA, ... cottage, 7 rooms, barns, ... ments; 20 kind fruit, ... water; corner lots; best ... 152x152; college, High School, ... fruit section; value $4000. ... apply to D. KELLER, P.O. ... Clara, Cal.

FOR SALE—$4500, $5000, ... new, modern, up-to-date 8-room ... plete, ready to move in; ... wall; swell neighborhood; ... ave.; open for inspection; ... to agents; will make terms ... 1431 S. LOS ANGELES ST. ...

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE; ... must sell; large 1½-story cottage ... ranged with private entrance ... part, with one or two lots ... large trees, sewer, gas, ... borhood. Owner, 230 E. 29TH ... 9472.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; ... ner on Ann st. near Main st. ... bargain at $...; Also 4-room ... 56x202, porches, barn and chicken ... and tank, on car line, ... $1300. E. W. BETTS & CO. ...

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN, ... tage, large rooms, light and ... will sell at a bargain if taken ... a fine new, 10-room house, ... beautiful home: will sell less ... owner, forenoons, 1285 W. 24TH ...

FOR SALE—THE SEVEN-ROOM ... 729 E. 12th st.; pantry, bath, ... and cellar; gas for cooking; ... fine two-story barn, also shed ... only $2350; act quick! ... Sole Agents, 322 Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—COME IN TODAY ... will show you an 8-room ... a good car line, southwest, ... a 6-room cottage; this is a ... in perfect good faith. JOHNSTON, No. 712 Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—$6500; 9-ROOM, ... occupied, solid oak floors, ... finest of plumbing, 5 sleeping ... corner lot, southwest; great ... an offer. EDWARD C. CRIBB ... way.

FOR SALE — HANDSOME ... tage, six rooms, large lot, ... tral ave. car line; just ... $2800; terms easy; owner ... from 1 to 5 o'clock, close in, ... ST.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL ... ern home of 8 full rooms, ... polished floors, tinted walls, ... southwest $4000; $1500 cash, ... 6 per cent. W. F. FORD, ... way.

FOR SALE—SPECIAL BARGAIN ... Westlake, handsome 11-room ... 60x150, beautiful place, ... Snap it quick at $3000; ... $4000. SALE & EXCHANGE ...

FOR SALE—AT SACRIFICE ... terms, $300 cash, 5-room ... NEW cottage, No. 646 E. ... Pedro car. Owner must sell ... 26, 112 N. MAIN. 'Phone James ...

FOR SALE—A RARE BARGAIN ... modern, 8-room, 2-story house ... near Alvarado Terrace; price ... must leave city. JOHNSON & ... Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE ... ed in best of locations; ... owner must sell; price $... furnished. H. N. COX, ...

FOR SALE—$1340; A SNAP; ... sell today; fine 5-room ... with alley; rent for $16.50 ... enth. GLOBE CO., 324 Wilcox ...

FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAIN ... room residence furnace, ... erything modern, east front ... 3. OWNER, 3007 S. Grand ave.

FOR SALE—BRICK HOUSE, ... rooms; four 25-foot lots; ... house; property fenced; fruit trees ... MRS. L. CONLIFF, ...

FOR SALE—$300 CASH, $10 PER ... room cottage, south side ... $3000. THOS. J. HAMPTON, ... way. 'Phone Peter 4041.

FOR SALE—$1800, IF TAKEN ... house and lot, fine location; ... take University Traction car. ... 1346 W. 29TH ST.

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 7-ROOM ... Take yellow or green Traction ... commission; buy of owner. ... 1616 Toberman st.

FOR SALE — $2100; 6-ROOM ... house, corner lot, near Figueroa ... worth $3500; great bargain; ... S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—A 5-ROOM, MODERN ... all improvements; also barn and ... ing away; will pay to inquire. ... 37TH ST.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—7-ROOM ... S. Workman and Vallejo sts. ... door south. J. R. LEFFLER, ...

FOR SALE—FOR CASH, SIX-ROOM ... ern cottage, furnished or unfurnished ... lot. Inquire 1039 WALL ST.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—BY
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
323 S. HILL ST.
We only handle groves IMMUNE FROM FROST.

$800—
Why remain poor when for a ... $800 you can secure a fine grove ... lease this grove and get 7 per cent ... the start and meet all the ... ments from the crops.
$3500—For a few days before ... leaves, an 11-acre ORANGE AND ... grove. Frostless, can double ... years. If taken at once ... place.

FOR SALE—WOULD YOU ... without the advice of an expert ... oil well? You may as easily ... take in buying orange property ... is paid by the owner and works ... his own interests. My object ... the buyer with expert advice. ... box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
$8750—S.W. corner Seventh, San Julian.
$7900—50 ft., Maple, between Fifth-Sixth.
$6000—76x120, Eighth near Wall.
$3250—S.E. cor. 28th, Grand ave.
$700—Fine lots, Golf Park tract.
$35,000—S.W. corner Seventh and Kohler, 6 stores, 100 rooms.
$12,500—6 flats, 22 rooms, close in.
$6000—4 new flats, 806 E. Eighth.
$2500—6-room cottage, 932 Towne ave.
$1850—New 5-room cottage, 1730 Reid st., ½ block west of W. Washington.
15 WIESENDANGER, 228 Laughlin Blk.

FOR SALE—
KINNEY HEIGHTS.
We have the cheapest and the best lots in this tract for sale.
C. A. SUMNER & CO., 214 Trust Building.

FOR SALE—
ONLY ONE WESTLAKE PARK TRACT.
All vacant lots there on ALVARADO, WESTLAKE, BONNIE BRAE, BURLINGTON, SEVENTH AND ORANGE STS. now for sale by
E. A. FORRESTER & SONS, 442 DOUGLAS BLDG., SOLE AGENTS.

FOR SALE—
KINNEY HEIGHTS.
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Beautiful lots in this high, elevated tract from $600 to $1100, 50x150 each. Take Green Traction car to W. Adams st.
PERCY H. CLARK, Agent. 224 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE—VERMONT AVE., ON THE high ground west of Alvarado Terrace; this is one of the 3 or 4 fine lots between Pico and 16th sts. The last one sold recently brought $1500. This is a finer lot; it is on the same side of the street and we will beat that price several hundred dollars. Do you want to make some good money and make it quick? This is your chance. JOHNSON & DAYTON, 712 Trust Bldg. 10

FOR SALE—
City's contract is now let for grading SUNSET BOULEVARD, 100 feet wide, from Douglas ave. to city limits, passing SUNSET HEIGHTS. This new subdivision, consisting of 82 residence lots, for sale at first cost; favorable terms; investigate.
E. LEE ALLEN, Owner,
10 114-115 Stimson Blk.

FOR SALE—
$650—House, 2 rooms, lot 50x180.
$2400—House and lot, 50x180; new and modern.
$350—Lots 50x180; fine location.
These bargains are only 12 minutes from Second and Spring.
BUSINESS CHANCE BUREAU, 218 Broadway, room 421. 10

FOR SALE—
A GOOD LOT, REASONABLY CLOSE IN. Rich st., third lot south of 14th. Can improve as you like. We call this cheap at $1250.
See ROBERT MARSH & CO., 536 Douglas Block.
Or C. F. W. PALMER & CO.,
10 408 Trust Block.

FOR SALE—CUT TO A BARGAIN PRICE. Lot 106x176, $3300. On W. 17th st., between Figueroa and Bush sts. Address S, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 10

FOR SALE—$1600; 2 SPLENDID LARGE lots on N. Bunker Hill ave. near Alpine st., offered at special bargain for quick sale. See owner, JULIAN J. LEWIS, 114 Stimson Block. 'Phone James 4646. 13

FOR SALE — IN CHAS. VICTOR HALL tract, 4 choice lots (one a corner,) street graded, curbed and sidewalked, $650 each; $1400 cash, balance 6 per cent. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 10

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A LOT BEtween First and Fourth, Figueroa and Boylston sts.; price $500 to $800; $200 cash, balance payments. Address 712 TRUST BLDG.

FOR SALE—4 LEVEL LOTS NEAR LONG Beach car line off Washington; 40x120; price $300 each; $95 cash, $10 per month. Address S, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 13

FOR SALE—THE CHEAPEST LOTS IN Charles Victor Hall tract, on Pioneer ave.; will sell both for $675; easy terms. F. C. KING, 237 W. First st. 10

FOR SALE—E. SEVENTH-ST. LOTS AT A bargain. Owner, room 312, AMERICAN BANK, corner Second and Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST CLOSE-IN RESIdence lots in city; liberal terms. See NILES, owner, Washington and Maple ave.

FOR SALE — BOYLE HEIGHTS INCOME corner. WHEELER, 1622 San Fernando st. 15

FOR SALE—$550; LOT ON 23D NEAR SAN Pedro. Owner, 1616 TRINITY ST. 12

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—
SPRING STREET.
SPRING STREET.
WHERE IS THERE A BARGAIN ON THE CENTRAL STREET?
WE HAVE ONE.
110-FEET FRONTAGE.
FULLY $300 PER FRONT FOOT CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER LOT IN THE SAME BLOCK.
WEST SIDE SPRING STREET, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH STS.
DON'T OVERLOOK THIS. IT WILL BE SOLD BEFORE OUR OPTION EXPIRES.
YOU MAKE $22,000 BEFORE YOU GET A DEED.
IT IS CHEAP.
W. M. GARLAND & CO., SOLE AGENTS,
12 214 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE—
A REAL BARGAIN. I WILL SELL THIS PROPERTY BELOW COST.
A substantial brick building suitable for warehouse and manufacturing purposes, Nos. 756 to 760 North San Fernando st., running through to Alameda. Frontage San Fernando st., 62¾ feet, Alameda st., 64 1-3 ft. Two floors on San Fernando st.; 3 floors on Alameda.
The basement and second floor on San Fernando st. have each about 10,130 sq. ft. An excellent location for heavy business. Convenient to S. P. tracks and S. P. depot at Naud Junction.
An up-to-date building having fire-proof walls, first-class roof, dry basement, accessible from 2 streets, etc.
Two floors occupied at present by the Murray Harris Organ Company.
If you are looking for this kind of property it will pay you to see
G. W. STIMSON, Rooms 202-205 Trust Bldg.,
10 Cor. Second and Spring sts.

FOR SALE—
66 feet frontage on west side of Hill st. between Third and Fourth. At $650 a foot it's the very cheapest piece in this block. When you take into consideration the improvements planned for this street, paving, widening, the number of new blocks to be erected, property is bound to advance. This particular lot contains nominal improvements, renting for $1100 a year. At the price quoted it's a money-maker and the BARGAIN OF HILL STREET.
ALEX MACKEIGAN & CO., TRUST BUILDING.
MINES & FARISH, BRADBURY BLDG.
13 SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

FOR SALE— —$3700—
A WALL-ST. BARGAIN NEAR SEVENTH. 44x123
AND A WELL-BUILT HOUSE. YOU KNOW SEVENTH ST.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 322 S. Hill st., Wright & Callender Bldg. 10

FOR SALE—
WE HAVE 51x130, JUST 400 FEET WEST OF MAIN. IF IT IS NOT A MONEY-MAKER, EVERY SIGN OF THE TIMES READS WRONG. IT IS NORTH OF 16TH; HAS A 5-ROOM COTTAGE, RENTING FOR $15, YET CAN ACTUALLY BE DELIVERED FOR $3050.
C. F. W. PALMER & CO.,
10 404 TRUST BLOCK.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—
WEST SIXTH STREET.
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BETWEEN OLIVE ST. AND GRAND AVE.
47x120 NORTH SIDE.
3-STORY STORE BUILDING, PAYS 6 PER CENT NET.
SOLE AGENTS. SOLE AGENTS.
N. W. COR. SIXTH AND FLOWER.
130x167½
IMPROVEMENTS ON THIS LOT ARE 2-STORY ROOMING HOUSE AND THREE COTTAGES ON 90 FEET; THE CORNER 75 FEET WOULD PAY HANDSOMELY IF IMPROVED WITH HOTEL AND STORE BUILDING.
SOLE AGENTS. SOLE AGENTS.
N. E. COR. SIXTH AND FIGUEROA.
60-FOOT LOT—3-STORY STORE BUILDING.
PAYS TEN PER CENT ON INVESTMENT.
SOLE AGENTS. SOLE AGENTS.
OWNERS WILL TAKE PART IN TRADE FOR LOCAL OR EASTERN PROPERTY, IMPROVED OR UNIMPROVED.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.
EST. 1885. 216-218 WEST SECOND ST.

FOR SALE—
GRAND AVENUE CORNER.
GRAND AVENUE CORNER.
100x163 TO ALLEY; GOOD HOUSE, WHICH CAN BE SET ON BACK OF LOT AND FLATS ERECTED IN FRONT; THIS WILL MAKE A PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.
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5-room cottage, chicken house, fruit, etc.; lot 50x150; all fenced; southeast, near Central ave. car; only $1500.
A nice house on Estrella ave., 7 rooms, all conveniences good barn, storehouse, etc.; price, including furniture, $3500; easy terms.
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Fruit stores, furniture, meat markets, liveries.
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Score of Italian Inmates Hurled in All Directions.

Tony Grillo and His Wife Killed. Robbery Probably Preceded the Explosion.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

JOHNSTOWN (Pa.) Feb. 9.—An attempt to hide robbery and murder resulted in the wrecking by dynamite of an Italian boarding-house at Portage, this county, early this morning. Two persons are dead, two are injured and a score of others had miraculous escapes. The dead:

TONY GRILLO, aged 44.

MRS. TONY GRILLO, aged 41.

Ralph Telliilida and George Destavo were seriously injured.

The boarding-house was occupied by Grillo and his wife, three daughters and about twenty-five boarders.

When the explosion occurred the inmates were hurled in all directions, but most of them escaped serious injury. The body of Grillo and his wife were found buried beneath the ruins of the building, which was demolished.

Persons familiar with dynamite say that least twenty-five pounds must have been put off under the room where Grillo and his three little girls slept. It was stated that Grillo had between $300 and $700, and his wife $300 more in the house, but none of this money has yet been found, and the theory is that it was stolen by some one, who killed the couple and then exploded the dynamite to cover the crime.

OIL BOOM AT LOMPOC.

Large Offer Made for Property of Lompoc Oil Company—New Refinery for Kern River.

The oil boom has struck Lompoc, Santa Barbara county, right where it lives, and the price of real estate in the belt is moving skyward.

The latest news from the field was brought in yesterday by a member of the Western Union Oil Company, who reports that an offer of $120,000 has just been made for the holdings of the Lompoc Oil Company. This is a Santa Barbara corporation, organized a few months ago to prospect for oil. A hole has been sent to a depth of several hundred feet, but whether or not oil has been found is a secret closely guarded by the company.

In the same district the Western Union is prospecting for oil, and it is believed by many that the company has found traces of oil, although no official announcement has been made as yet.

NO WONDER IT BOOMS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LOMPOC, Feb. 9.—Oil was uncovered on the Purissima ranch Saturday at a depth of about two thousand feet, showing a capacity of 200 to 300 barrels. The Union Oil Company has obtained 50,000 acres, including the Purissima and options on adjoining territory.

TO BUILD A REFINERY.

Eastern representatives of the Eastern Consolidated Oil Company are negotiating for the purchase of a site near the company's [illegible] county, on which [illegible] erect a small refin[ery] [illegible]

The company has [illegible] ducers in the Kern [illegible] is having difficulty [illegible] for the same.

NO SALES

Not even a close [illegible] the session of the [illegible] day. High-grade [illegible] at advanced prices [illegible] above what buyers [illegible] As a result no sales [illegible]

Closing bids and offers [illegible] were:

Alpha; Aztec; Brea Canyon; Central; Columbia; Continental; Fullerton Consolidated; Fullerton Oil; Globe; Reed Crude; Senator; Southern Consolidated; Uncle Sam; Union; United Petroleum; Turner; Wertlake; Whittier Consolidated [figures cut off]

For unlisted mining stocks the following were [illegible]:

Arizona & Ark. C., [illegible]; Arizona Giant; Butte Lode; Bisbee West; Bisbee Belle; Verde King; Green Mountain; Hudson; South Bisbee Copper; American Gold; Red Cloud; Exposed Treasure; Venture Hill; Copper Glance; Modern Copper; Hidalgo [figures cut off]

PETROLEUM [illegible]

The average grade of [illegible] is quoted at from [illegible] rel at the wells. Oil of [illegible] teen gravity sells in [illegible] 40 to 50 cents a barrel.

SAN FRANCISCO [illegible]

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The Young Athlete's Start.

RULES FOR BEGINNER.

ANY BOY MAY BECOME STRONG IF HE WILL CAREFULLY FOLLOW DIRECTIONS—"FIRST GAIN CONSENT OF YOUR STOMACH"—"RISING AND SINKING" EXERCISE, ETC.

By Albert Payson Terhune.

(Author of "Muscle Building," "Syria From the Saddle," etc.; assistant trainer of Corbett, Jeffries and McGovern.)

THERE is no royal road to athletic power any more than there is a royal road to learning. You can't go to bed ignorant and wake the next morning with a college education, nor can you learn by a few weeks of overstudy what takes a normal boy years to acquire.

It is the same with athletics. Most boys, sooner or later, have longings to be strong. Most of them "take out" this ambition in mere planning; a few more do a great deal too much athletic work for a week or so, and then gradually stop doing any at all. Yet they wonder that they notice no benefit from the little they have done.

PERSISTENT EFFORT REQUIRED.

Now, athletic prowess is like an education. It cannot be mastered except by steady and long work. If you look upon this work as a bore and fail to concentrate your mind on it, you may as well give up all hopes of becoming an athlete. It is only the boy whose interest in exercise is strong enough to will find you can exercise a little longer and a little harder than you could the day before. But exercises gone through by exhausted muscles can do nothing but harm.

STOMACH MUST BE RIGHT.

To become an athlete you must first gain the consent of your stomach. This is not meant as a joke. It is the sternest sort of a fact, as many persons have learned who have neglected to obtain that consent. On the condition of the stomach depends all the working of both body and mind. A weak or disturbed stomach utterly unfits a man or boy to do his best work. Therefore, to become an athlete, first build up the stomach, getting it into strong, healthy condition. That is half the battle for athletic prowess. It is easy to make the stomach your friend. Unhappily, it is almost as easy to make it your dangerous enemy.

In the first place it is not necessary to diet as rigidly as if you were going into a college football game, but you must, none the less, be careful what you eat. Don't eat sweets between meals; don't eat much dessert (unless it is something like rice or tapioca pudding;) leave pastry alone. It is too much, in winter, to expect any boy wholly to give up buckwheat cakes. But they are not good for you. If you must eat them do so in moderation. Leave sausage alone, too; and other highly-spiced foods. Neither tea nor coffee should be drunk by any growing boy; least of all by an athlete. Fried foods of all sorts are bad for you. Now, at first glance you may fancy these restrictions cut out the best things of life. But they do not. They cut out only the worst things.

Do not eat when you are tired out. Rest a few minutes in such a case before eating. Take no violent exercise for at least half an hour after eating.

SMOKING NOT ALLOWABLE.

Don't smoke. That is bad for both stomach and nerves, and no normal boy gets any real pleasure from doing it. Leave beer and liquor to older people who are foolish enough to spend money that way for the privilege of wrecking their constitutions.

Get at least nine hours' sleep every night.

The foregoing instructions must be rigorously followed by every boy who desires to be an athlete, whether he be in primary school or in college. For on stomach and nerves hang all an athlete's chances of success. And the perfect condition of nerves and stomach depends on the strict observance of these rules.

The course of exercises to follow is intended for boys under 14. In later lessons I will take up such violent exercises as boxing, fencing, football, oarsmanship, etc. Up to the age of 14 no boy should take up seriously any of those more strenuous sports. They are apt to injure frames not yet hardened enough for such work.

The exercises I prescribe today are beneficial and even necessary for all would-be athletes, either old or young, but they are intended especially for the boy under 14, as coming well within his scope.

Here is a good daily routine to start on:

FIRST MORNING EXERCISE.

Get up at 7 o'clock.

Before bathing or beginning to dress lie flat on the floor, on your back: Fold the arms across the chest. Now rise toward a sitting posture, without moving the legs and without uncrossing or moving the arms. Do not rise entirely to a sitting posture, but only about three-quarters of the distance. Then sink back again into your former position and repeat the process of rising. Be sure to keep the legs rigid and unmoved while doing this. Repeat four times the first morning, not stopping to rest between times. After that increase the number of "rises" by one each morning till you can rise and sink back twenty times. If you find you cannot stand this ratio of increase without undue fatigue, increase by one every other morning instead of every morning.

Old time gymnasts were taught to rise entirely to a sitting posture in this exercise. This, however, is harmful. For after you are about three-quarters of the way up the strain begins to fall on the spine, which it wearies without strengthening.

This "rising and sinking" exercise is splendid for strengthening all the muscles of the back and abdomen, and is also beneficial for the leg muscles.

In this as well as in all the other exercises do not look. At the same time do not move jerkily. Every movement should be regular and quick, but not sudden.

For instance, when starting begin also to count one, two, three, four. At the word "two" you should be "up;" at the word "four" you should be on your back again; starting to rise again at the next count of "one." A second should elapse between each two counts.

After a time this exercise will come easier. When it does try this variation on it:

Instead of folding the arms across the chest, lie holding them straight above the head, and at every second "rise," bring them down to the sides. This is of benefit to the chest as well as to the upper arm muscles.

A "SUPPLING" MOVEMENT.

After you have gone through this first exercise the required number of times, stand up, heels together, chest out, arms hanging loosely.

Now stoop forward, without moving the feet, keeping the whole body below the waist perfectly rigid. Bend forward until your finger tips touch the floor in front of you.

You may be unable to touch the floor in this fashion the first time you try. But by practicing constantly your muscles will soon "limber up" sufficiently to enable you to do so. Remember to keep the legs rigid, the knes unbent, while doing this.

Having touched the floor, rise to an upright posture and try the same motion over again. When counting in this exercise, take three seconds to touch the floor and three more to rise again.

Do this four times the first morning and increase it by one each morning, until you get it up to twenty.

Now, standing as before, keeping the heels together, bend as far back as you can, without losing your baalnce; and recover your upright posture once more. This backward motion should be done slowly and easily, with no wrench or jerkiness in the recovery. Do not lean back so far that it will be any strain on back or abdomen to recover your former position. Practice will enable you to go farther backward as time goes on.

Try this, too, four times the first morning, increasing by one, until you reach twenty.

Then try the forward motion again, until the fingers touch the floor; and, on recovery, do not stop at the upright posture, but continue moving the upper half of the body backward; thus combining the two motions; and, recovering, move forward until the fingers again touch the floor. Try the daily increase of one on this motion too. These forward and backward motions are excellent for both abdomen and back, especially for the latter, and are also good for the legs.

ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE.

[To be continued in next Tuesday's Times.]

A subject of vital importance to every worker is the choice of a career. Read Dr. Orison Swett Marden's article on this topic in tomorrow's Times—the third in the series, "Success Talks to Young Men."

"RISING" AND "SINKING" EXERCISE.

"SUPPLING" EXERCISE.

PERSONAL.

Charles Hughes, an attorney of Denver, is registered at the Angelus.

S. C. White, a mining man of Houston, Tex., is a guest at the Nadeau.

Lieutenant-Commander W. S. Hughes, U.S.N., is at the Westminster with his wife.

J. C. Mitchell, cashier of the Denver National Bank, is at the Angelus, accompanied by his wife.

Dr. Otto Staehnle, a tourist from Stuttgart, Germany, is among yesterday's arrivals at the Van Nuys.

E. C. Lyon has returned to this city from a three weeks' business trip through various eastern cities.

G. W. McNear, Jr., the San Francisco shipper and commission merchant, arrived yesterday at the Van Nuys.

S. Atlee, operator of saw and planing mills at Fort Madison, Iowa, registered at the Westminster last night with Mrs. Atlee.

Dr. Henry Gibbons, Jr., Dean of Cooper Medical College, San Francisco, is at the Van Nuys with Miss Florence Gibbons.

John W. Gates, the steel king returned with his party yesterday from Coronado in a private car, and went at once to Pasadena.

Thomas Murdock, the Chicago wholesale grocer who comes to California every winter to play golf, is registered at the Westminster with Miss Murdock.

Dr. Osso Hachule, a physician of Berne, Switzerland, is at the Van Nuys, and will visit the various points of interest in this vicinity during his stay here.

George T. Dinwiddie, proprietor of a department store at Frankfort, Ind., and owner of a large cattle ranch in Northern Wyoming, is at the Westminster with his wife.

J. A. Murray of Butte, Mont., was among yesterday's arrivals at the Angelus. He is one of the wealthiest men of the Rocky Mountain region, and has business interests in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sullivan and child of San Francisco registered yesterday at the Van Nuys. Mr. Sullivan is one of the park commissioners of his city, and is here with his family on a pleasure trip.

Charles Vesey and wife of Chicago are registered at the Westminster. Mr. Vesey is an attorney and one of the leading men of the Austrian colony in Chicago, as well as correspondent for newspapers in his native land.

Noah Brooks, author and journalist of Castine, Me., arrived yesterday at the Angelus. In the days before the Civil War Mr. Brooks conducted a newspaper at Marysville, and in 1865-66 the Naval Officer at the port of San Francisco. His later years have been devoted to the writing of popular histories and stories for boys.

C. H. Wilson of San Francisco, Northern California agent of the Raymond-Whitcomb excursions, arrived yesterday to assist in caring for a party of 136 excursionists who will arrive today from the East. Half of the party go direct to San Diego before stopping here, the remainder of the party coming to Los Angeles. Their train consisted originally of ten cars, and carried tourists from Boston, Philadelphia and New York.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Loyal Legion Dinner.

The Loyal Legion will give a banquet and reception Thursday evening at the Angelus in observance of Lincoln's birthday. One hundred have been invited.

Oil Stove Exploded.

The explosion of an oil stove in the Livingstone lodging-house, No. 635 South Hill street, occupied by Mrs. E. Huddleston, caused a fire at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, which resulted in a damage of $25.

Referees in Bankruptcy.

Merle W. Rogers was yesterday appointed by Judge Olin S. Wellborn of the United States District Court referee in bankruptcy for Ventury county, and Charles L. Allison was reappointed to the same position for San Bernardino county.

No Water Board Meeting.

Owing to the absence from the city of several members of the new Board of Water Commissioners no meeting was held yesterday. Superintendent Mulholland and other employes of the department were present and opened several bids for supplying the city with a large valve for the water main.

Thieves' Trick Worked.

Three Mexicans worked a game on I. Wolff, proprietor of a clothing store at Nos. 206 and 208 North Main street, yesterday morning, and secured five pairs of trousers. One of the men asked to look at shirts, representing that he wished to purchase. While Wolff was in the back part of the store with him the other two stole the trousers, which were hanging out in front.

Jack Tar Collared.

Niels Westerberg, by request of the British Vice-Consul, was arrested in this city yesterday and taken before United States Commissioner Van Dyke, charged with desertion from the British ship Irby of Liverpool, and now lying at Port Los Angeles. Westerberg was a sailor before the mast, decided that he would like to live forever in this land of perpetual sunshine, and undertook to vitiate his contract with the skipper by taking French leave. He is now in the hands of the United States Marshal, awaiting the pleasure of the British representative to return him to the vessel. To avoid the possibility of complications should the ship already have sailed, the order reads that he shall be returned to the country from which he came.

Brass Thieves Caught.

Two young men giving the names of William Jones and William Murray were arrested by Detectives Steele and Craig at Third and Alameda streets at 9 o'clock last night as they were entering a pool room and were booked at the Police Station on the charge of burglary. Jones and Murray are accused of having burglarized on Saturday night the general machine and pattern shop at Nos. 1023 and 1025 North Alameda street, owned by C. W. Harrison and J. A. Walkley, and of having stolen $200 worth of brass in various forms. The detectives discovered yesterday that the loot had been sold to a colored junk dealer for $8, and from him they got a description of the men which resulted in their capture. Both of the men say that they are strangers in the city.

Tried to Kill Himself.

Edward E. Sopp, an ex-soldier recently discharged from Co. H of the Fourteenth United States Infantry, was taken from a room in the lodging-house at No. 214 East Fifth street at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon with an apparently lifeless pulse and his lungs full of gas, which he had inhaled with suicidal intent. After heroic treatment, he was revived at the Receiving Hospital. Sopp secured his discharge from the army on account of physical disability, but has been despondent since. Sunday afternoon he rented a room at the lodging-house for the purpose of committing suicide. He was found yesterday undressed on the bed, where he had thrown himself after removing the top from the gas jet. The windows were closed down tight and the keyholes were stopped with wads of paper.

Dinner Speeches in Church.

The women of the Congregational Union, a society for the promotion of church extension and kindred work in Los Angeles, gave a dinner last night, in the First Congregational Church, to the members of the union. The prettily-decorated tables were laid in the parlors. The formal speakers of the evening were: E. P. Clark, president of the union, who presided; Dr. O. W. Nixon, for many years one of the editors of the Chicago Inter-Ocean, who gave a thrilling sketch of the settling of Oregon and of how that State was saved from Great Britain for the United States by Dr. Whitman, the pioneer missionary; Dr. Strong, long-time president of Carleton College, Dakota, and the Rev. Mr. Case. Mr. Case has charge of the Congregational Spanish mission work in Los Angeles, and by his introduction a project was suggested and discussed for the erection in this city of a building for the maintenance and promotion of this work. Informal remarks were made by the pastor of the First Congregational Church, the Rev. William Horace Day, and by others. About two hundred persons attended the dinner.

BREVITIES.

At the Young Women's Christian Association this evening Dr. E. S. Chapman will deliver his lecture, "The Stones Crying Out, or the Testimony of Recent Discoveries in Bible Lands to the Divine Inspiration of the Scriptures." Everybody invited.

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Alice J. Gastren returned Saturday from her trip East.

German at Kramer's next Wednesday, 11th.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for Sabas Lobes, Mrs. C. J. Goodenow, J. M. Holland, Marshall L. Hinman, Mrs. Mattie Rice, J. A. Phillips, Al Wood, Paul Sly, Western Automobile Company, E. P. Passmore, J. W. Hamaker, Southern California Floral Company, Jim Brennen, J. A. Howard, E. J. Hulling, Mr. Peck, J. F. Leicester, Edwin Payne, Mrs. C. H. Williams, Helen Olydesdale, S. C. Lawrence, C. L. J. Smith, T. D. McCall, Los Angeles Curio, Shell and Novelty Company, and cablegrams for Chartier Bennett.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company's office, No. 238 South Spring street, for T. L. Turney, Harry M. Moliner, J. Murray Company and Mrs. Baldwin.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Walter Gibson, aged 24, a resident of Los Angeles, and Sarah E. Jarrett, aged 26, a resident of Cayuga, Can.; both natives of England.

William C. Lund, aged 62, a native of Norway, and Margaret L. F. Lund, aged 40, a native of Massachusetts; both residents of San Francisco.

Bert L. Rude, aged 30, a native of Norway, and Mary E. Lawrence, aged 40, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Myron H. Best, aged 46, a native of Illinois, and Jennie Popejoy, aged 41, a native off Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

Cassius A. Rees, aged 27, a native of Indiana, and Mabel Blanche Adams, aged 21, a native of Kansas; both residents of Whittier.

Alfred E. Walker, aged 23, a native of Kansas, and Anna B. Mayo, aged 23, a native of Michigan; both residents of Los Angeles.

John Clarence Encell, aged 24, and Pearl Venerich Wiser, aged 18; both natives of Missouri and residents of Los Angeles.

Louis Alfred Cary, aged 24, a native of California, and Mary Elizabeth Harrison, aged 23; a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Clifford M. Paxton, aged 22, a native of Kansas, and a resident of Ocean Park, and Helen Quinetta Millis, aged 22, a native of Colorado, and a resident of Denver.

DEATH RECORD.

GUIRADO—At his late residence, No. 1142 West Adams street, Los Angeles, February 9, 1903, Bernardino Guirado, a native of Los Angeles, aged 57 years and 9 months, beloved husband of Luz Sanchez de Guirado, father of Edward R. and Margarita Guirado. Funeral service 10 a.m., Wednesday, February 11, 1903, at St. Vincent's Church. Interment at Catholic Cemetery. Friends invited.

HAAS—February 9, John Haas, aged 34 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral at 2 p.m. today from the German M. E. Church, on Pico street near Wall. Interment Rosedale Cemetery. The remains can be viewed at the mortuary chapel of Risdeman, Meyer & Co., No. 1430 South Main street.

MATTERN—At Pasadena, Cal., (February 9, 1903, Frederick Mattern, formerly of Chicago, aged 90 years 6 days. (Chicago papers please copy.)

NEWLAND—At his late residence, No. 1215 West Seventh street, February 7, 1903, Dr. Henry Newland, a native of Germany, aged 75 years. Funeral from Masonic Hall, corner Thirtieth and Main streets, Tuesday, February 10, 1903, at 2 o'clock p.m., under auspices of South Gate Lodge, No. 230, F. & A. M. Friends invited. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

SHEARMAN—February 9, 1903, Rev. W. D. U. Shearman of Los Angeles.

SOWARDS—In this city, January 30, 1903, James M. Sowards, a native of Kentucky, aged 66 years. Funeral services will be held at parlors of Bresee Brothers, Broadway and Sixth street, at 3 o'clock today. Friends invited. Interment Greenup, Ky.

THOMAS—At the residence of his son, No. 2702 Halldale avenue, February 8, 1903, W. H. H. Thomas, formerly of De Soto, Mo., aged 63 years. Interment at De Soto, Mo., by Knight Templar Lodge No. 56. (St. Louis and De Soto, Mo., papers please copy.)

DOLLOFF—February 6, 1903, B. B. Dolloff, a native of Bangor, Me., aged 57 years. Funeral from chapel of Orr & Hines Co., No. 647 South Broadway, Tuesday, February 10, 1903, at 2 o'clock p.m.

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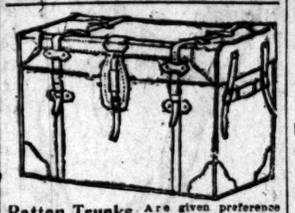

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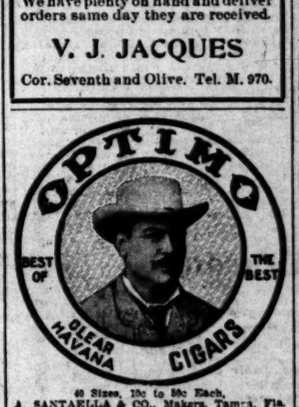

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Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The American National Bank of Los Angeles," in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, in the State of California, is authorized to commence the business of banking as prescribed in section 5169 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 12th day of ... 1903.

[Signed] T. P. ...

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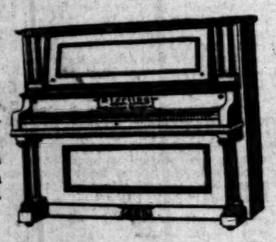

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Opposition in the Legislature—Stanton's Trick—Letter from Assemblyman Camp.

The secret is out regarding the Parker-Carter-Stanton deal for control of Courthouse patronage, which involves an increased annual expenditure of at least $26,000 by the county.

Walter Parker's price for "permitting" the Carter bill to pass the Legislature is said to be the distribution of one-half or three-fourths of the patronage created.

Without this price he threatens to defeat the measure and to end all hope of increases in force or salary, however great may be the justification therefor.

Assemblyman Carter introduced the bill at the behest of Parker and his followers, and Assemblyman Stanton, as chairman of the Southern California delegation in the Assembly, stands behind it, promising to do as Parker bids.

Parker was in Los Angeles Saturday and was at the Courthouse, pushing his movement along. Stanton also was in the city during the past week.

Before the bill was introduced Walter Parker, who assumes to be the political Pooh Bah of Southern California, and especially of Los Angeles county, held a secret conference with some of the newly-elected county officials. He knew that a call was to be made for more help and he held the officials up with the threat that, unless he could control the patronage, or a good share of it, he would prevent the passage of the proposed bill.

"Give me a half or three-fourths of it," he said, "or I will return to Sacramento and see that the bill does not go through, and you will be left in the same position with reference to additional help that you are at present."

The threat was effective with numerous officials, it is said, and the reins were placed in the hands of former Gov. Gage's political adviser.

The bill accordingly was introduced by Carter, and if passed it is given out that Parker will have the naming of the men who are to occupy a large proportion of the new positions.

WICKHAM'S HEAD DEMANDED.

Among the demands which Parker made as a part of the consideration for whatever he may do in Sacramento in behalf of the proposed bill is one to the effect that R. Q. Wickham shall not be employed in any of the county offices. This demand is said to have been made at the request of Assemblyman J. A. Stanton, who was here a few days ago on some mission, the exact nature of which was not disclosed. Stanton is Wickham's bitter enemy and has been such for ten years or more. At the beginning of the present session of the Legislature he secured the defeat of Wickham for the position of minute clerk and then magnanimously had passed a resolution granting him $80 to pay his expenses home. The next day Wickham turned the tables on Stanton and despite his efforts secured the position of assistant file clerk. Then Stanton swore to be revenged and he thought he saw his chance when the proposed amendment to the county government act was about to be considered, and it is said, induced Parker to make that demand.

It has been learned from Sacramento that as a result of this combination Wickham has already endangered the passage of the bill. His only crime was that he worked in season and out of season last year to secure the nomination of Hon. Thomas Flint for Governor. At that time the Gage gang swore by all that they considered holy that they would have Wickham's scalp, and they have been trying to down him ever since.

Stanton has a personal grudge against Wickham, and he is too small a man not to take advantage of his position as a member of the Legislature to vent his personal spite.

BILL MAY BE BLOCKED.

But the bill will not have smooth sailing, even with Parker behind it. There is serious opposition to its passage on he part of many members of the Los Angeles county delegation, who do not relish the idea of saddling a yearly salary increase of $25,000 or more on the taxpayers, especially when it appears that a great part of the amount will be eaten up by political hangers-on of the Parker stripe.

The fact is that Carter, without consulting other members of the delegation from Los Angeles county, introduced the bill and told the Committee on County Government Act that it was satisfactory to all members from this county. This statement is untrue.

From the opposition to the measure that has risen in the Los Angeles county delegation it appears that Mr. Carter will become very tired of his job before he gets through.

Careful inquiry among former county officials and outsiders who are familiar with conditions at the Courthouse indicates that there is justification for increasing the forces in some departments of the county government, although they admit that better discipline would be effective in improving the service, and making it unnecessary to employ as many more deputies and clerks as are called for. There are too many drones in some places, they say, while other employes have more than they can do.

INQUIRY WOULD HAVE HELPED.

One official, who has been connected with the county government a number of years, says that ample opportunity was afforded members of the Los Angeles county legislative delegation to inquire into conditions at the Courthouse before leaving home.

A conference was suggested between the lawmakers and the outgoing county officials, who knew the needs of their various departments, and who would have been prepared to say just what was necessary for the county. With but one exception, these officials retired from public life, and were in a position to make recommendations without bias. Unfortunately, however, the meeting never took place, and the parceling out of the patronage was permitted to fall into the hands of politicians.

When the new county officials took their seats they naturally were confronted with a vast amount of work, as this is a large county, but the volume seemed greater because of the unfamiliarity with the work on the part of many of the new officials. They were "swamped" and they easily fell prey to the wiles of Parker and other political workers, who represented that more help was needed. Parker has done the same thing before, and he knew how to work it.

BIG JUMP FOR "JOHNNY."

Parker's fine hand is seen clearly all through the bill, and it looms up as large as a ham in the provision that is made for the increase of the salary of Coroner Trout's stenographer from $150 to $200 per month, and the employment of a clerk in this office at $100 per month. This would place the stenographer on a higher salary plane than the Supervisors, who receive $1800 per year, and would make him the highest-paid county employé, aside from those holding elective office.

But the stenographer, "Johnny" Summerfield, is a "push" politician in Walter Parker's camp.

Under former administrations the Coroner's stenographer has been able to do all the work of the office without the assistance of a clerk, and there are many capable stenographers, even in the Courthouse, who would welcome the opportunity to work for $150 per month.

One evidence that some members of the Los Angeles county delegation are going to the bottom of the matter is the following letter, which was written by Assemblyman E. W. Camp of the Sixty-ninth District, to one of his constituents at Sierra Madre:

PERTINENT QUESTIONS.

SACRAMENTO (Cal.) Feb. 5, 1903.

Mr. ——,

My Dear Sir: Inclosed is a copy of Assembly Bill No. 578. You see it deals only with salaries of officers of Los Angeles county; is of importance to our people, but of little concern to the rest of the State. So its fate will probably depend upon the members of the Legislature from our county.

The total of salaries is about $26,000 a year more than it was two years ago, and about $40,000 more than it was four years ago. Do you remember whether any of the recent grand juries, after investigating the offices, reported them short-handed? Would it be possible to obtain from the Board of Supervisors, being in general charge of county business, some statement of the help needed in the several offices?

Of course, I know that the wonderful increase of population and wealth in the best county in the country augments the work in these offices, and I wish to vote for all the assistance really needed, and for salaries sufficient to obtain efficient men. But it is impossible for any one man up here five hundred miles from the Courthouse to determine satisfactorily to himself or to anyone else what additional deputies and what raise in salaries are required. I understand that the Surveyor found difficulty in getting necessary help at the pay allowed. Was that the case in other offices? I think that in some of them there were a sufficient number of applications by competent men at the present salaries.

You may not have at hand the salary list as it stood in 1899 and 1901, so I send a statement showing the salaries at those dates and as proposed in bill 578. You have long been familiar with county offices and can give me valuable advice in this matter.

Hoping to hear from you soon, as the bill may come up shortly for passage, and thanking you in advance, I am, yours truly,

[Signed] EDGAR W. CAMP.

STATEMENT OF INCREASES.

The detailed statement accompanying the letter shows that the salaries paid in the Auditor's office now amount to $15,170; under the proposed law they would be $17,920; Superintendent of Schools, $6720 and $7800; Surveyor, $13,320 and $16,200; Sheriff, $27,520 and $28,960; Recorder, $13,560 and $18,510; Treasurer, $6000 and $7800; District Attorney, $14,800 and $19,600; Assessor, no change; County Clerk, $27,900 and $30,960; Tax Collector, $27,760 and $28,840. The Coroner and the Public Administrator get a clerk each at $100 per month, and the Coroner's stenographer an increase in salary from $150 to $200 per month.

KERN COUNTY.

TWO PIONEERS JOURNEY ON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 9.—Anselmo Herrera, one of the pioneer residents of this county, died today at his home in Kern City at the age of 62. The deceased was a native of Mexico and came to California thirty years ago. He leaves several children, the oldest being Aurelio Herrera, the well-known pugilist.

Word was received today of the death in Los Angeles this morning of Jacob Neidenauer, one of the earliest residents of Bakersfield and a prominent furniture merchant and property owner. The deceased was a native of Germany, aged 65 years, and came to Bakersfield more than thirty years ago. His health had been failing several years. He leaves a widow and three grown children.

OIL FIELDS BOOMING.

The general advance in the price and increased demand for oil, together with the formation of a gigantic corporation to control the Sunset and Midway fields, has given the industry here a great impetus. The Sunset Railroad is at present operating a tri-weekly service between the fields and Bakersfield, but the business has increased to such an extent that a daily service is being demanded strongly by the operators in the field, and there is no doubt but that it will have to be inaugurated within a very short time. The Consolidated California Oil-fields Company, the gigantic corporation just organized to control the fields, has begun the work of putting in its pipe line to connect the two fields with the terminus of the Sunset Railroad. Walter E. Dowlan, a civil engineer of London and Paris, is now here to have charge of the work. The company is organized under the laws of Maine, and is backed by English and French, as well as American capitalists.

BAD SOLDIER CAUGHT.

Sheriff Kelly today received word from Houston, Tex. of Private Langston Brown, U.S.A., accused of embezzling a sum of money here last September. Brown was in charge of the army recruiting office here for about two months last fall, and left suddenly without notifying his superiors. He is charged with having stolen a pocket-book from the landlady of his hotel. The Sheriff was advised that if wanted the fugitive would be turned over to him, otherwise he would be tried by a court-martial for desertion.

DR. HILLIS'S "IF."

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, referring in his sermon yesterday to race hatred in America said: "If twice a year we could bring the southerners up to New York for two weeks we would soon solve the negro problem, and if we could take the northerners three times a year for two weeks in the South they would soon cease trying to manage the southerners affairs for them."

"MARTIN" MADE GOOD ESCAPE.

Hope of Capturing Murderer Virtually Abandoned.

The Last Clew Proven False Like All the Others.

Police Believe Wretch Took Train for San Diego and Fled to Mexico.

One week ago yesterday the mutilated body of James M. Sowards, the money lender, was found in a room on South Main street. Ten days ago this morning at 8:20 o'clock Martin E. Cox, the murderer, was last seen by Julia Grevois, with whom he had been talking in her room in a Spring-street lodging-house.

Seven days of hard work have been devoted by the detectives and police to the discovery of the criminal, and now it seems that hope of capturing him is practically given up. With a three days' start when the body of Sowards was discovered, the trail of the murderer was already cold when the search was begun.

Many clews have been followed, but they were invariably false. Detective Steele returned yesterday from an obscure town in Riverside county, where it had been reported that a man answering Cox's description had been seen. The journey was fruitless of any results.

The police are convinced that Cox took the 8:40 o'clock train for San Diego when he left town that Saturday morning, and that his objective point was Mexico. With the money that he had he could easily escape arrest. Fugitives have taken advantage of the cupidity of Mexican officials before, especially in the small towns, where it is only a matter of a bribe for a man to bury himself until the heat of the search has blown over.

It is pointed out that Cox must have taken this train, otherwise he would not have remained over night. After the commission of the crime he might have left for the East by either the Southern Pacific or Santa Fé routes, or he could have gone north. It is known absolutely that he had no object in waiting in town except for a train.

With his destination practically known, the discovery of the missing expressman or hackman that took his trunk from the Spring-street lodging-house is only important in that it is believed it will confirm the theory that Cox fled to Mexico.

In the beginning the fact was not overlooked that Cox is a clever criminal. The murder was executed with the atrocity and boldness of a madman. The handiwork of Cox was so palpable that he might just as well have left a card in the room stating, "I killed this man," and signed his name.

It is left to the imagination to picture the circumstances of the crime as cold-blooded and as cunning as any that has ever been committed in this city.

The motive was robbery. Sowards entered the room believing that he would find the young woman there whom Cox represented as his wealthy fiancée. Of course, she was not in, but Cox told the money lender that she would be back in a few minutes. Would Mr. Sowards take a chair and make himself at home? Mr. Sowards did so. A bottle partially filled with whisky was found in the room. It is natural to suppose that Cox offered his guest a drink, and that it was accepted; what more natural than that it was drugged? The physician who performed the autopsy stated positively that the fatal blows were struck when Sowards was in a recumbent position.

When the spell of the drug had taken possession of Sowards the opportunity for which the murderer had so long waited had come. With a hammer or some iron instrument he rained the terrible blows on the old man's head, any one sufficient to kill him. The knife wound in the neck was contradictory and might have led some to think that two men were implicated. It was a feeble stab which could hardly have discommoded the old man, but was undoubtedly inflicted by the same hand.

All the circumstances of the crime show that Cox is a remarkable study in criminology. Acquaintances were astonished when they heard of the atrocious murder. "How could such a nice-looking and agreeable fellow as 'Martin' do such a thing?" they asked. He was thirty, but didn't look to be more than twenty-five. He wouldn't have looked out of place as the leader of a Christian Endeavor meeting.

A psychologist would probably say that Cox's two natures were both strongly developed. He may be living a life now free from all evil thoughts; has probably forgiven himself for committing his last revolting crime, and will almost certainly repeat the dreadful deed should it ever become, in his opinion, necessary. Experts have it that it is only the most finished criminals, degenerates in whom the criminal tendencies are abnormally developed, that can wear the expression of an angel while plotting a hellish crime.

In the opinions of those who have studied, the man and his deed, Cox had greater crimes than the Fairmont forgeries and the desertion of his wife to answer for, before the murder of Sowards. By the same reasoning it is assumed that he will commit murder again.

Unless new and unforeseen developments occur, Cox will have been almost forgotten by the local police in another week. Today William Sowards will take the body of his father to Kentucky for interment. On his return to settle up the deceased money lender's business, a reward will probably be offered for the arrest of Cox.

OLD LAND CASE ENDED.

The Chormicle-Jenkins Case, After Sixteen Years Litigation, Ends With Victory for the Ranchers.

There comes a time when all things must end, and in conformity with that inevitable law of finality, the "finis" has come to the litigation covering seventeen years, occasioned by the efforts of W. W. Jenkins and others to locate as mineral lands, a large amount of property in the Pine Mountain and Zaca Lake forest reserve, which had previously been homesteaded, or was under application for homestead, by William C. Chormicle and others, under the agricultural laws.

Yesterday Register Crookshank of the local land office received the final decision of the department in the case, sustaining the local office and rejecting the application of Jenkins.

This litigation began November 9, 1886, and from time to time there have been hearings, and decisions and rehearings and more decisions, running through all these years, and in every instance the verdict has been against Jenkins, and sustaining the claim of the agricultural locaters, but Jenkins and his co-partners have kept up the fight. At times it has been hot, both personally and legally, and there threatened to be bloodshed at one time during the long-drawn-out controversy.

But now the end! E. A. Hitchcock, Secretary of the Interior, has rendered his decision sustaining the decision of the local office, and also of the General Land Office, against Jenkins. Secretary Hitchcock says to the Commissioner of the General Land Office:

"The local office found that the lands embraced in the mineral application were not mineral lands in character, which finding, upon appeal, was affirmed by your office. The mineral applicants then appealed to the department, and the finding of the local officers and of your office is sustained, and the mineral application of W. W. Jenkins and others is rejected."

A LBRECHT WAS SORT OF SENTIMENTAL TOMMY.

LATEST LIGHT ON STRANGE CHARACTER OF MISER.

All the Mining Stocks That He Accumulated Prove to Be Worthless—He Was Far from the Goal of His Ambition When He Died.

Poor Joseph Albrecht, the miser who lived in a woodshed and worked himself to death, was a long way further from his or's dream than he imagined.

Had he known the cruel truth, he would probably have given up his pathetic struggle to get together money enough to win back his old position in San Francisco clubdom.

Public Administrator McGarvin learned yesterday that the mining stocks by which Albrecht seemed to set such store are utterly worthless.

A reply to a letter of inquiry was received from some one posted on San Francisco stocks. It stated that the mines in which Albrecht held stock of the par value of millions were the kind of mines that were long on assessments and shy on dividends. They were summed up as "wild-cats."

The wonder is that Albrecht did not fall it all off long ago and take his own life. For a man of his attainments and particularly of his one curious ambition, he seemed to have chosen for himself about the cruelest, hardest lot possible—that of a waiter.

Some of the knocks and the snubs he got must have been pretty tough for a man who saw himself always in his mind's eye back in his old chair at the Olympic Club.

The novelists would tell you why he endured. The very same element in this strange man's character, which spurred him on to this long up-hill fight was the very thing that made it possible for him to take the knocks. The truth of the matter is that this queer little miser, who slept in a shed that a high-bred dog would sniff at, was a sentimentalist.

If you think of his life carefully, you may come to the conclusion that his fate was not as bitter as it might have been to some men. Why? Because he was sentimental. There is no doubt in the world but that around the cruelest blows he ever endured was hung a sort of halo of romantic charm which helped him to bear them.

In the days that he was a club man in San Francisco Albrecht did not seem to have been "one of the boys." His friends put him down for an erratic, silent man. In reality he was a dreamer of dreams. On the club stationery he was writing delirious poems about love. There were poems of the ecstacy of holding his wife to his breast—when he didn't have any wife. Also there was the carefully-treasured envelope to "Mrs. Joseph Albrecht" he had saved so wistfully for years.

The one book that lay at his hand as though it were the prime favorite was about the most sentimental book ever put together, Ike Marvel's "Dream Life."

It was Albrecht's paradoxial ambition to win back his position in society with which he did not care to really mingle when he had that position. Albrecht was a grown-up version of Sentimental Tommy in whom Mr. Barrie would have delighted.

When the crazy old collection of junk in Albrecht's hovel is fully examined, there will doubtless be found other pathetic treasures of this old sentimentalist.

INHUMAN MOTHER.

New-born Babe Left to Die of Exposure on Doorstep of the Florence Home.

Last night at 8 o'clock the door of the Florence Home, located at No. 1632 Santee street, was opened in response to a noise made on the door, and there on the step lay a mite of a boy baby.

The air was cold and the unfortunate bit of humanity, but an hour from the womb of its heartless mother, was wrapped in nothing save a dirty cotton rag, and was almost dead from exposure.

Mrs. Bisbee, superintendent of the home, took the little waif in, gave it stimulants and a warm bath, and then swathed it in warm flannels, and at last accounts it was alive, but there were slight chances of its recovering from the results of the exposure to which it had been subjected. The probability is that it was placed there in the hope that it would die and be buried by the people at the home.

THEY MUST COME DOWN.

The Mayor has decided that the order of the Police Commission, made two years ago, which did away with curtains and doors on wine and restaurant rooms, shall be enforced. Saturday, immediately after the Mayor had issued this order, the Chief detailed two officers in plain clothes to go the rounds and notify restaurant and saloon proprietors that the curtains and doors must come down. Prompt compliance was met with in some places, and in others the hint was disregarded. Yesterday the officers visited a number of places again, including those in which the doors and curtains had not been disturbed. It is thought that by the end of the week the law will have been observed in all quarters.

QUEER FREAK OF FUGITIVE.

Runaway Jailbird Serves on Coroner's Jury.

Liquor-seller Scott of Pomona Enjoying Himself.

Leaves Word That He is Going Duck-shooting—Anxious About "Cops."

F. E. Scott, the Pomona "Athletic" Club proprietor, who escaped from the custody of Town Marshal G. W. Ogle last Tuesday morning in the office of his attorney, E. L. Hutchison, in this city, was the foreman of a Coroner's jury at Breese Bros.' morgue yesterday afternoon. The Coroner's case was that of Ed Jordan, the bricklayer, who committed suicide by drinking laudanum in the Villa May lodging-house on East Fifth street Saturday night.

The part that he played as foreman of the jury was the culmination of several days of enjoyment in the city, which Scott said he has been able to pursue unhindered.

Deputy Coroner Summerfield had completed the jury with the exception of one man. He was just stepping out of the front door, intending to find a sixth juror, when Scott was passing by. Summerfield asked Scott if he had any objection to serving. "Are there any 'cops' around?" Scott queried anxiously. After looking up and down the street and seeing none, Scott concluded that he could sit on a jury as well as not, and so he went inside and was immediately elected foreman.

After the verdict had been signed Scott told the deputy coroner who he was, and how he had fooled the Town Marshal of Pomona. It was a great joke with him, and he interspersed his narrative with numerous guffaws.

He said, on leaving, that his next move would be in the direction of San Diego county, where he was going for a season of duck shooting.

The trial of Scott, who was arraigned in Pomona for running a saloon which he represented to be an athletic club, attracted considerable attention, and was bitterly fought on both sides. Attorney Hutchison assisted in his defense. Scott was convicted, and sentenced to serve thirty days in jail and pay a fine of $100.

The case was appealed, and last Tuesday morning Judge Smith affirmed the decision of the lower court and issued a commitment.

After leaving court Marshal Ogle took charge of Scott, and together they went to the office of Hutchison. Scott was given his liberty until the 3:30 o'clock train should go, and shortly before that time he was again on hand at Hutchison's office as per agreement. He made an excuse to visit the toilet-room, however, and passing into a hall, disappeared.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Moki Snake Dance.

The Ruskin Art Club held a special meeting yesterday afternoon at the clubrooms in the Blanchard building in honor of the eighty-fourth anniversary of Ruskin's birth. A. C. Vrooman of Pasadena gave an intensely interesting lecture on the "Moki and Navajo Indians," which he illustrated with many stereopticon views, made from photographs which he has taken in the last eight consecutive summers spent among these tribes. The object of Mr. Vrooman's trips was to collect pottery from the tribal burying grounds for the Smithsonian Institution, and also to accumulate data on the famous antelope and snake dances of the Moki.

Ebell Club.

"California Writers" was the subject of an informal talk given yesterday afternoon by Rev. Mrs. Eliza Tupper Wilkes before the Ebell. Miss Agnes Hedenbergh added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion by her sympathetic rendering of one or more selections from each author cited. Edward Roland Sill was the first to be mentioned, and his "Opportunity" was selected for recitation. After a brief characterization of Joaquin Miller's work, "Sail On, Sail On" was rendered. The touching story was told of Ina Coolbrith's indominable fight with misfortune and physical anguish, the high estimate in which her work is held in the East and in Europe was related, and "Cloth of Gold," and "The Story of an Elopement" were given from her poems. After the name of Edgar Markham was spoken, it followed as a matter of course that the poem by which he is most widely known, "The Man With the Hoe," should be heard.

Ambrose Bierce and Frank Norris were given honored places among the younger men, and with the name of Charles Keeler and his "Ocean Lullaby" the programme closed.

The first hour of the afternoon, the club listened, as guests of the tourist section, to an address by Frank Baker, recently from New York, who has come with his family to reside at Ocean Park, where they are building a home. Mr. Baker, who has traveled extensively, gave a general talk on countries of the Old World, conducting his hearers through Norway, Sweden and Russia into Italy and Southern France, and claiming that the finest scenery in the world was to be found in Norway.

Study of the Bible.

The Monday Study Club met this week, with Mrs. Averill in the chair. Quotations were given from various authors, in response to roll call. A report of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs at Fresno was given by the delegate, Mrs. Foster, after which the lesson was taken up, consisting of the history, literature and influence of the Bible. Mrs. Averill gave a description of the library of Khorsabad, recently discovered, and Mrs. Lamb gave a sketch of the history of the Bible. Mrs. Adams read a paper, showing the influence of the Bible upon character. Mrs. Smith presented the subject of the influence of the Bible upon various countries, industrially, politically and commercially. The subject "Peoples," subdivided into: Refinement of women and children; laws; justice and peace, was treated by the secretary.

Miss Judd presented a paper on the literature and art of the Bible, speaking particularly of famous pictures by the great masters, which deal with Bible subjects and characters.

Mrs. Still read a paper upon the ethics of the Bible. Mrs. Averill then closed the lesson with a brief review of the whole book.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—IN THE COURTS AND OFFICES.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Yesterday afternoon the Council voted to advertise the Main-street standard-gauge franchise for sale.

The Council refused to confirm C. D. Willard as a Civil Service Commissioner.

Rat ordinance was passed as an emergency measure.

Councilman Nofziger asks that it be made a misdemeanor to demand a discount from a street contractor.

City Engineer proposes that the city and the street railroads join in building bridges across the Los Angeles River.

The official Council proceedings, published by authority, will be found elsewhere on this page.

In a probate proceeding yesterday, it developed that family heirlooms are missing from the Blanton Duncan estate.

The Supervisors cut off a number of official heads yesterday.

Thaddeus Lowe was on trial again for illegally manufaturing gas.

AT THE CITY HALL.

THIRD-RAIL FRANCHISE APPLICATION GRANTED.

COUNCIL DECIDES TO ADVERTISE CONCESSION FOR SALE.

McAleer and a Delegation of First Ward Citizens Oppose the Sale of Any Franchise Unless Huntington Roads Will Grant Transfer Privileges.

After a long debate yesterday afternoon the Council, by a vote of 8 to 1, adopted the majority report of the Board of Public Works favoring the sale of a standard-gauge franchise on First street from Los Angeles to Main street and on Main street from First to Second street, in accordance with the petition of the Pacific Electric Railway Company.

To the last, Councilman McAleer of the First Ward opposed the sale of such a franchise unless the Pacific Electric Railway Company would agree to give transfers from the Pasadena line to the cars of the Los Angeles Railway Company. Attorney Charles Cassatt Davis represented the citizens of Highland Park and Garvanza, who were present in considerable numbers to support the position taken by McAleer.

Several times the speakers for the opposition clearly intimated that recourse will be had to the courts or to the referendary provision in the amended city charter. It is doubtful in the minds of informed persons if the citizens of the First Ward have any standing in court on the transfer question. During the debate yesterday Attorney Dunn for the company clearly stated that the two companies not only were not under the same management and control, but that heavy stockholders in the Pacific Electric Railway Company have no interest in the Los Angeles Railway Company, which was organized under a different law.

One of the strongest reasons advanced why the two companies should exchange transfers is the apparent fact that the cars of the one run over the tracks of the other for a greater distance than five blocks. It is said that this is the main point upon which the protesting citizens hope to secure action by the courts. There is also a question as to whether there are two franchises already in existence on Main street between First and Second street. The Pacific Electric Company has been running cars to the Southern Pacific Depot, it is said, over Main and Fifth streets, while the Los Angeles Railway Company operates its Argicultural Park line over the same portion of the street from the north junction of Main and Spring streets to Fifth street. It is asserted that the distance is over five blocks and that unless the companies are identical in management, such operation of cars is in defiance of the five-block law. If two franchises exist on that portion of Main street it will be argued that the Council cannot advertise a third for sale.

There seems to be a determination on the part of the First Ward citizens to force the question to a referendary vote. Under a provision in the amended charter the ordinance awarding the franchise to the company cannot become effective until thirty days after its approval by the Mayor. If the First Warders in the meantime file a petition signed by 7 per cent. of the electors the Council must submit the ordinance to a vote of the people either at a special or general election. The delay thus entailed would depend entirely on the time the Council might set for a special election.

Although Mayor Snyder had some thinsg to say regarding a third rail in his message anent the "freight franchise," it is believed that he will sign an ordinance of award if the bid of the company is satisfactory in amount.

In accordance with the action of the Council yesterday the City Attorney will prepare a notice of sale, stating the terms of the franchise and fixing the day on which bids are to be received. It is usual to allow ten days or two weeks before the sale, but as only one bidder is in prospect, the time may be curtailed in this instance.

During the debate yesterday it became evident that the Huntington-Hellman syndicate has loosened its grip on the big franchise which Mayor Snyder vetoed. A part of the route described in that franchise covers First street from Los Angeles to Main street, and would be the second franchise on First street if the franchise should be upheld. As a third franchise cannot be granted on the same street, it is argued that the action of the company in asking for the present franchise is tantamount to an admission that the so-called "freight franchise," which is still in litigation, is invalid.

Councilman McAleer brought out this point in his minority report, which was as follows:

"I beg to recommend that the application of the Pacific Electric Railway Company for the sale of a franchise to operate a street railway over certain parts of South Main and East First streets, recommended by the majority of the Board of Public Works, be denied, until such time as the company making the application shall agree to issue transfers to all other lines over which its cars are operated within the city limits, as provided for in the codes in our charter.

"I would suggest that if satisfactory arrangements for the issuance of such transfers cannot be made under existing circumstances, new ordinances be passed whereby they can.

"The company claims that it has a franchise over most of this distance, which would make two franchises for the same street, hence the granting of a third would be an idle act, as the law only permits two on the same street, and the third would be void, and of no value to the company.

"A railroad company has no inherent right to any franchise; it is only entitled to such privileges as the City Council sees fit, as a matter of public policy, to grant, and I deem it perfectly legitimate for the Council, which is acting only for the people, to use ordinary business judgment in the disposition of its favors. We have a rapidly-growing city, and the privilege of transporting its citizens will soon be enormously profitable, and must in the very nature of things eventually become a monopoly. The Council has the power to regulate a monopoly, but the regulation should be made in time. Our request for transfers is legitimate, as we by law may fix any reasonable conditions to a grant of any privilege, and in the spirit of utmost fairness to the railroad, but with a due regard for the rights of the people that we represent, I submit that my position is not only tenable, but the only one I can assume, in pursuance of my duty."

Nofziger moved the adoption of the majority report favoring the sale of the franchise, and it was seconded by Davenport. McAleer moved to substitute the minority report, but was unable to secure a second to his motion.

Attorney Davis then addressed the Council at length. He maintained that all the people of the city should be consulted regarding the grant of the franchise, and not alone the abutting property owners.

"These franchise are granted for the future," he said. "They will be operative long after many of us are dead. Care should be exercised to protect the entire city. Unless you heed our petition the citizens of the First Ward will get no relief unless the court or the referendum gives it to them. They have begged transfers from the management to no purpose."

"Do I understand that a petition signed by three-fourths of the frontage compels the Council to grant an application for the sale of a franchise?" asked Farish.

"Such a petition is in the Broughton law, but to my mind it has no validity," replied City Attorney Mathews. "I would not advise this Council to grant an application on that score alone. It is probable that that feature of the law will soon be eliminated."

Daniel M. Hammack declared that the attempt of the Garvanza residents to secure transfers was in no sense a hold-up.

"The city has something that the Pacific Electric Railway Company wants, and the company has something that residents of the city want," he said. "In Chicago the citizens secured transfer privileges at the end of eight years of litigation identical with those they had in the first instance asked the Council to enforce."

"There has been much talk," said Councilman Davenport, "about giving away this franchise. My understanding of the situation is that it is to be put up for sale, and that the company that gets it will pay for it in gold dollars. I don't see how we can ask the company to give something for a franchise which they pay for."

"Perhaps there is no better time to try the referendum," said Nofziger. "The law is on the statute books that where 75 per cent. of the abutting property owners sign a petition the Council must advertise a franchise for sale. I have asked the residents of the First Ward not to complicate matters by bringing up this question in this connection. The Main-street property owners want the Council to advertise this franchise for sale, and I don't see that we would be justified in holding up one section of the city at the behest of another section."

At the request of Farish, Attorney Dunn explained that under the franchise transfers would be given from one Pacific Electric line to another within the city limits. He said that the Pasadena line had never given transfers to another line; that it was built as an independent road, and that the citizens would be better off than ever before if they secured transfers to the other lines of the Pacific Electric Railway Company. Dunn declared that the company is an independent interurban line organized under the railroad laws of the State and entitled to cross not only the boundaries of cities, but of counties.

"It is more preposterous to ask the Los Angeles Railway Company to exchange transfers with this company than it would be to ask an exchange of transfers with the Hook Traction lines," said Dunn.

Dunn pointed out that the stock books of the companies were open to inspection and that the protesting delegation had a quick remedy in court if what he said was not true.

"The Pacific Electric Railway Company," he continued, "is incorporated for $10,000,000, and it is spending every cent of it as rapidly as possible. A great railroad system is projected over Southern California. The progressive spirit of this company has been a great thing for this section of the State. I don't believe that Mr. Huntington will 'cave' if the protestants succeed in their attempts. He will continue to operate the road as well as he can, and if passengers have to walk from First and Los Angeles streets uptown and back again he will doubtless put up with the arrangement."

Attorney Davis then made the point that the Pacific Electric Railway Company had monopolized the traffic in one section of the First Ward and was playing the part of a dog-in-the-manger and at the same time charging residents of the section a double tariff. He said he asked the transfer agreement as a matter of simple justice to the First Warders.

After a number of citizens had said the same thing in various ways, Attorney George Sanders addressed the Council on behalf of the property owners on South Main street who object, he said, to the granting of the franchise. He said the granting of the franchise would close the last gateway through the city and forever exclude a competing line. He asked that the franchise be considered in connection with the one from Seventh to Ninth street on Main street, for which an application is now pending.

At the conclusion of his remarks the majority report of the Board of Public Works was adopted, McAleer alone voting "no."

RAT ORDINANCE.

EMERGENCY MEASURE.

As an emergency measure and the first one ever passed by a City Council in this city, the ordinance fixing a bounty of 2½ cents on each rat passed the Council yesterday. Just the necessary six votes were recorded in its favor, Nofziger, Davenport and Todd voting against it.

Nofziger proposed to pass an ordinance making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of $50 to have rats on any premises in the city.

"The proposed ordinance is a ridiculous measure," he declared. "This bounty business is a farce."

"There will be strings of boys with strings of rats coming into this City Hall," said Todd. "It will be very disagreeable, but I see now why Secretary McGill of the Health Department got a rise of $5 in salary. He will be kept busy."

Skilling maintained that the city authorities could not quarantine rats and that as the Board of Health recommended it, the ordinance should be passed.

After the City Attorney had added a statement of the urgency of the measure the ordinance passed by the close vote recorded. If Mayor Snyder vetoes the measure seven votes will be required to pass it. It is not probable that the Mayor will do this, however, as he is a member of the Board of Health that first recommended it.

OPPOSING HOLD-UPS.

RADICAL ORDINANCE ASKED.

Councilman Nofziger hit a nail in the municipal structure squarely on the head yesterday when he moved that "the City Attorney be instructed to draw an ordinance making it an unlawful act, punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, for any one to make an agreement with a contractor for holding back a part of the price due him for work on his account." A second protest against the acceptance of Eleventh street between Fedora and El Molino street was before the Council, and F. R. Hawley and his attorney, J. Marion Brooks, desired to debate the question. The Council maintained that the question had been settled, and refused to hear further debate. Then Nofziger made his motion, and it was carried. Many property owners by a system of blackmail have extorted discounts from contractors who would prefer to pay something rather than be put to the expense and delay incident to an appeal under the Vrooman act. It is Nofziger's intention to stop this system of levying on the contractors, if possible, and then to demand a high grade of work from the improvement men.

In accordance with a report from the Building Committee the City Attorney was instructed to take the necessary steps for the condemnation of school sites and additions to school sites in accordance with the terms of the late bond issue.

Councilman Todd made objection to the requisition system adopted by the Supply Committee and notified the Council that he would resign unless there was a change.

"I believe that a change should be made so that all the members of the committee can see and pass upon these requisitions," said Todd.

"I agree with you," said Summerland.

"I agree with you," said Davenport.

"Well, I don't, on general principles," put in Nofziger.

But Todd carried his point.

To the Building Committee was referred a request from the City Engineer for more room in which to prepare the plans and specifications for the new outfall sewer, storm drains and bridges. The City Engineer says he is ready to begin work, but is cramped for space.

One section of the City Engineer's report to the Council will undoubtedly occasion some discussion. It is as follows:

"The recent bond issue voted by the people contains an item of $100,000 for the construction of five bridges; four of these bridges, to wit: Pasadena avenue across the Arroyo Seco, Aliso street over the Los Angeles River, Macy street over the Los Angeles River and Macy street over the Arroyo de los Posos, are paralleled either by bridges of the Pacific Electric Company or of the Los Angeles Railway Company. Some of these railroad bridges will probably have to be rebuilt or altered to answer their purpose. It may therefore be advisable, both for the interest of the railway companies and for the interest of the city, to build some joint bridges as the space in some instances is too congested for two bridges, and it is probable that we can obtain better-looking and more substantial structures for the money allotted, provided the railway companies will meet us with a fair proposition.

"I would therefore recommend that the Bridge Committee and myself be authorized to take up the matter with the said railway companies to see if they will meet the city with a reasonable proposition."

The recommendation was adopted by the Council.

Councilman Farish, chairman of the special committee charged with improving the facilities at the command of the health department, reported to the Council yesterday that the only way to secure additional office room which seemed feasible was to build an addition on the rear of the City Hall to cost about $3000. Nofziger thought that nothing should be done until the question of a new City Jail was taken up, as the old jail might do for a health office.

A protest against removing the tamale wagons was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

New plans for rip-rapping the levee on the east side of the Los Angeles River were presented by the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake road and approved by the Council.

An amendment to the Broughton act providing that any amendments which might be made should not be construed to affect any sale, award or grant of a franchise or privilege heretofore made or attempted to be made, was introduced by Todd and recommended to the State Legislature by the Council. The amendment is designed to avoid any complications that might ensue in the "freight franchise" case from the amendment of the law at this session of the Legislature.

Tomorrow evening the committee of the whole will meet to take up the social-evil question and the petition of J. W. Brooks for permission to hold race meets during certain times in the spring and fall.

It is probable that the Councilmen will decide that the advocates of social reform should secure the adoption of such an ordinance as they desire through the initiative.

WILLARD REJECTED.

COMMISSIONERS CONFIRMED.

By a strict party vote of 6 to 3 the Council yesterday refused to confirm the appointment of C. D. Willard as a member of the Civil Service Commission. Maj. H. T. Lee, H. W. O'Melveney, J. R. Haynes and L. W. Edelman were confirmed by a unanimous vote. It is the opinion of the City Attorney that these four members of the commision can organize and perform the duties as prescribed by the charter. Mayor Snyder says he will continue to name Willard for the place.

Such, in brief, was the outcome yesterday of the fight that has been made against the appointment of Willard. Councilmen freely admit that the appointee is persona non grata to them, but they likewise insist that they have been urged by many of their constituents to vote against his confirmation.

On motion of Nofziger, the commissioners were confirmed one at a time yesterday. When the name of C. D. Willard was reached, Todd moved that he be confirmed, and Kern seconded the motion. President Bowen ruled that the motion was unnecessary. Finally, it was declared in order and Davenport seconded the motion and then was the first to vote against it.

There was no discussion of the matter on the floor.

One Councilman stated yesterday that Willard lived at Terminal Island and was not eligible to appointment. The directory gives his residence as Terminal Island, but the Great Register shows that he votes in Precinct 32, and was transferred to the precinct from Precinct 38A. Mr. Willard says he has voted in Los Angeles for fifteen years.

Mayor Snyder was not at all surprised when informed of the vote on his appointee.

"Let's see, that was a strictly party vote, wasn't it? Well, I'm glad of that. It leaves me under no obligations, you see. I shall begin to be active all down the line, now."

"Do you mean, Mayor, that what you intend to do will be in the nature of retribution visited upon the heads of men appointed by the Council?"

"Oh, I won't say that, but—" he added suddenly, "I will say I think there are some very foolish persons about this City Hall."

It was intimated yesterday that the four commissioners confirmed might refuse to qualify unless Willard was approved, and thus bring to a standstill the operation of the civil-service amendment, but this is not deemed likely.

There is a disposition on the part of Councilmen to attribute Willard's activity on behalf of civil service to the fact that he was the paid secretary of the Municipal League, and it is said that one of the Councilmen introduced a complete scheme of civil service at a session of the Charter Revision Committee before Willard ever appeared on the scene.

Attorneys say that there is nothing to compel the Council to confirm an appointee, and that the Mayor has no right and no ground to question the action of the municipal legislature.

Members of the Council took umbrage at the remarks of the Mayor as reported in the afternoon papers. They say that the Chief Executive is not yet in a position to dictate just how the municipality shall be run. If Mayor Snyder begins to remove the Councilmen's appointees all along the line, as threatened, the Council can abolish the position and provide for the employés on requisition, it is said. There are other ways in which the Council intends to meet any attempt by the Mayor to ride rough shod over them.

"Some very radical statement has been made by the Mayor, if he is correctly quoted," said Councilman Nofziger, last night, "and if he intends to totally ignore the spirit of the civil-service amendment by making a sweep of the Council's appointees, I think we can meet him half way in the fight. Mayor Snyder is yet some distance removed from being a Czar.

"And I wish to say that the Council is not compelled to give any reason for refusing to confirm C. D. Willard or any other man and if the Council does so refuse, the Mayor has no warrant and no right to again send his name to the Council. We have been very fair with the Mayor. We have confirmed thirty-two of his commissioners without question. The Police, Fire and Park commissions are half Democratic and half Republican, as far as the appointments are concerned; the Water Commission is Democratic; a majority of the Board of Health is Republican, and a majority of the Library Board, Democratic. The Civil Service Commission was the only place where, in selecting non-partisan men, it was found necessary to name four Democrats and one Republican—for, certainly, Willard is entitled to be called a Democrat, in view of his affiliations during the last campaign.

"As for the statement that Walter Parker had anything to do with the refusal to confirm Willard, that is the veriest nonsense. I have never spoken to Walter Parker, or he to me on the subject, and I do not know that he has ever interested himself in the matter in any way—certainly not so far as I am concerned.

"As for the specific objections against Willard, I may say that in my opinion the Council has already given too many reasons for refusing to confirm his appointment. As long as much has been said, a little more may do no harm. To be brief, C. D. Willard is an extremist. He is not fitted to work in harmony with the general public. I have nothing personal against him, neither as to his character, integrity or ability, but I do not consider him a fit man for the place.

"Willard has often been very officious when there was no call for it. In the past he has gone out of his way to ignore members of the Council. At Sacramento he made himself particularly obnoxious to the delegates from this section of the State, as many of them have told me, by trying to raise a great hue and cry that the legislators were opposed to the amendments, when as a matter of fact they were not.

"Now, I would naturally suppose that the Mayor desires to carry out the spirit of the charter amendment, and to leave in office capable men. In the event that he does not, and a fight is precipitated, we will certainly meet him half way, and I think that the Council is still something more than a figurehead in municipal government."

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

FAMILY HEIRLOOMS HAVE TAKEN FLIGHT.

MUCH-TALKED-OF MEMENTOS OF BLANTON DUNCAN MISSING.

Harry B. Ainsworth Was in the Probate Court Yesterday Asking for Discharge as Special Administrater, but Mrs. Lewis Entered a Vigorous Objection.

Valuable family heirlooms belonging to the estate of the late Blanton Duncan have mysteriously disappeared from his effects.

Whether they have been stolen or whether the erratic old Kentuckian scattered them after his mind became clouded is not known. At any rate, his daughter, Mrs. Kate Lewis cannot find them, now that she has won the old Duncan estate after a sensational will contest.

Among the things that are missing are numbers of letters to Blanton Duncan from Napoleon III, Gladstone and other celebrated men whose names are history. Harper Bros., publishers, once offered Col. Duncan $10,000 for the collection.

Besides these papers, a large amount of silver plate is gone. Col. Duncan had a gold seal ring, which was an heirloom in the family. This is gone. A pair of gold links, by which Col. Duncan set great store, is is gone. Among the other missing things are a gold watch, a repeater, for which Col. Duncan paid $1800; also an old-fashioned "bullseye" watch, nearly 200 years old, a miniature of Mrs. Duncan, worth $150, an autograph photograph of Napoleon III.

A great stew was made in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday over the loss of these things.

Harry B. Ainsworth came into court asking to be discharged as special administrator of the estate. Mrs. Lewis, through her attorney, objected to his discharge until the missing heirlooms have been located.

No imputation was made in any way against the integrity of Mr. Ainsworth, who owns most everything at Redondo except the ocean, and has money to burn without making away with Blanton Duncan's watches. It is claimed, however, that Mr. Ainsworth was not careful in protecting the property.

In her formal bill of objections, Mrs. Lewis seems to cast suspicion upon a young fellow named Dick Weston, who had charge of the ranch.

Shortly before Col. Duncan's death, Weston was hired at Hummel's employment agency to help about the ranch. After the colonel's death he had charge of the place under the employment of the special administrator. Mrs. Lewis claims that Weston made the ranch a headquarters for lewd and dissolute characters and had great carousals on Col. Duncan's cellar of old wine.

Mrs. Lewis alleges that when she took her father away from the ranch just before his death, she locked everything up securely and turned the keys over to L. F. Wells, who was the right-hand man of Col. Duncan.

Shortly before the will contest, last October, Weston disappeared from the ranch. When Mrs. Lewis retook possession of the place after the judgment of the court, she claims to have discovered that Col. Duncan's trunks had been tampered with. It is said that the locks of every one of the fifteen or twenty trunks and boxes showed evidences of having been forced. Two trunks, in which she remembered to have seen solid silver, were empty.

Other slaps were made at Mr. Ainsworth's administration besides his alleged carelessness in letting Weston carry things on as he chose.

It is claimed that Ainsworth spent $405.75 for machinery and labor to harvest a crop which sold for $340. It is claimed that the live stock on the ranch was neglected and underfed.

Mr. Ainsworth made a reply to this. He objected to being charged up with all of these valuables.

He recalled the fact that Col. Duncan and his daughter were not on good terms during the latter part of his life. He said he didn't believe she had any means of knowing what Col. Duncan had in the house, as she was never there herself.

Mrs. Lewis claimed in her objection that everything in the house had been left open and in disarray; that an insurance policy was found lying carelessly around. Mr. Ainsworth retorted by saying that Mrs. Lewis had been permitted by his order to enter the Duncan house, and she herself left things in confusion and disorder.

Ainsworth claims that Weston was seen wearing the gold seal ring some time before Duncan's death, and said that the colonel had given it to him. Weston is also said to have come into possession of the repeater before Col. Duncan's death.

OFFICIAL HEADS

WERE CHOPPED OFF.

Heads went lopping off at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors yesterday. There was a grand readjustment of patronage, on account of the appearance of Supervisor Graham on the board. Supervisor Wilson has had little share of patronage since his election. The list of casualties was as follows:

County Farm—Superintendent, George Clark, vice Thomas Simpson; assistant superintendent and surgeon, Dr. M. F. Price, vice Dr. Norton; assistant gardener, J. W. White, vice H. M. Wilcox; dairyman, Tom E. Clark, vice Fred Wyman.

Courthouse—Fireman, Frank Willard, vice H. P. Gardner.

"WHAT IS GAS?"

MORE LOWE RUCTION.

Thaddeus Lowe's trial on a charge of manufacturing gas in that part of the Arroyo Seco forbidden by county ordinance, began before Justice Young yesterday.

The principal witness against Lowe was Prof. Judson of the College of Fine Arts, who objects to the smell.

Attorney Bailey jumped onto the witness when the latter said that he said he saw gas being manufactured.

"What is gas, anyway?" he demanded.

Prof. Judson is longer on water colors than gas.

"Why," he said, "why—um—gas is—er—gas."

"What is gas?" persisted Bailey.

Prof. Judson wriggled. "Why, gas is—I think—why we all know what gas is."

"What is it, then?" said Bailey.

"Gas is a form of matter," said the professor warily.

"So is this oak table matter," objected Bailey.

Prof. Judson suddenly exploded. "Well, I know what I saw them manufacturing was not an oak table, and it was not water, either."

The lawyers for the gas company are taking advantage of every possible technicality.

HOW MUCH HURT,

ONLY QUESTION.

For once in the history of corporations, one of 'em threw up its hands yesterday, and admitted that it ought to pay damages. It was the Traction Company.

Mrs. Emma M. Wood was plaintiff against the trolley company for $15,398 damages, arising out of injuries sustained in an accident, March 25, 1902, at Twenty-fourth and Thornton streets. The car in which she was riding, ran into another car from behind. She was thrown against an upright bar, and then out of the car and onto the ground. She claimed to have been confined in bed for weeks and to have sustained injuries from which she still suffers. She was cut about the head and side and shoulder.

The Traction Company confessed liability, but objected to the amount that Mrs. Wood demanded. It was left to a jury in Judge Allen's court yesterday to determine how much Mrs. Wood was hurt.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

SUPERVISORS' ACTION.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday disapproved of the plan to create a new school district, to be known as Irwindale, out of the Vineland and Azusa districts.

The same action was taken on the proposition to make a district known as Bandini out of San Antonio and Gallatin.

Tuesday, the 16th inst., was assigned for a hearing of the petition to annex part of Pass and part of Cahuenga to the Los Feliz district. There is much interest in this proposition in Hollywood and the Cahuenga Valley.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR DESERTION. Theresa Patterson was divorced from Peter Patterson in Judge Trask's court yesterday. The ground was desertion.

HIS FEELINGS HURT. Richard S. White is plaintiff in Judge Conrey's court against Officer Winfield Lacey for $5000 alleged damages for malicious prosecution. White claims that he was arrested in Long Beach by Officer Lacey, without just reason or cause, and taken to jail. Lacey says that burglars were in the land, and that he suspected White. Lacey is one of the most careful of officers.

WANT SCHOOL EXHIBIT. County School Superintendent Keppel presented to the Supervisors yesterday a communication from Hon. W. T. Harris, asking that photographs of the work of school children be taken for the St. Louis Exposition. It would cost $600.

RIVAL "JUDGES." Justice of the Peace A. L. Jenness of Santa Monica has complained to the Supervisors of the conduct of Recorder Guidinger of Santa Monica. He claims that Guidinger is taking his criminal work away from him. He alleges that Guidinger is making claims against the county for these cases; he asserts that such claims are illegal.

WANTS ANOTHER FRANCHISE. Arthur Wright, to whom a telephone franchise for the United States Telephone Company was recently awarded for lines anywhere in the county, was heard from again yesterday. He applied for a special franchise for the Cahuenga Valley road district.

NEW RAILROAD. Bakersfield and Ventura Railroad Company has incorporated to build a railroad from Sunset, Kern county, to Hueneme. The distance is 125 miles. Capital stock, $5,000,000; subscribed, $360,300. Directors, Eben Smith, J. W. Burson, Gervaise Purcell, A. N. Sanford, J. W. Swanwick. One of the heavy stockholders is H. M. Russell.

MYRICK DIVORCE. Ida Myrick was divorced from Charles Myrick yesterday by Judge York, on the ground of failure to provide.

His Fatherly Affection.

A parent in liquor is a bad article, for the time being, at least; but when a father, because he is drunk, chases his fifteen-year-old daughter out of the house and into the street, and there knocks her down into the mud and beats her until the timely arrival of a neighbor policeman, it's high time father quits drinking.

"Edward Ware," said Justice Austin, in his severest voice, the place being Department Two of Police Court, and the time yesterday afternoon—"stand up!"

"Yessuh! Reckon that's me," replied a diminutive darky of the unshaven mulatto type. The judge read him the charge, which recited that Ware had disturbed the peace. The darky pleaded guilty. Patrolman Aiken was sworn. He told how, at church time Sunday morning, a daughter of the prisoner had rushed over to his house, a few doors from No. 927 Crocker street, and begged him to come and save her sister from a beating. Though off duty, he had responded with sufficient alacrity to interrupt Ware in the act of choking his young daughter. "He had her down in the mud, right in the middle of the street," explained the officer, "and her clothes certainly were a sight. He was drunk and used bad language."

"Call the daughter," said His Honor. There took the stand as dainty a bit of mulatto femininity as you'd spy in a day's walk through town. She gave her name as Lucy Ware, graduate of the Los Angeles public schools, and she looked very pretty in a black picture hat, with immaculate shirt waist of white, big-collared jacket of laced silk, pale blue fluff at the throat, sky-blue skirt and gray suede gloves to match—and for background five and twenty unkempt drunks and hobo prisoners. Miss Lucy told her story quietly. She was getting ready for church when her father appeared, drunk, and started to make a row. She fled through the door, the kind and loving parent pursuing. In the street he overtook his daughter, and knocked her headlong into a pool of mud and water, where he held and beat and choked her till the policeman arrived on the run and pulled him off.

"Appear for sentence in the morning," said the judge.

Mustn't Carry a Gun.

Leon Sanford, son of the Sanford family that owns a goodly portion of the San Jacinto ranch, and lives at The Palms, spent Sunday night and Monday forenoon in the City Jail, and subsequently offered up a sacrifice of $20, for being caught in the unlawful act of carrying a gun in his clothes. Young Sanford explained that he and a friend were on their way to The Palms after an evening of business in the city. They missed the last car and walked to Washington and Vermont streets, their rig being tied hard by the Rosedale Cemetery. They were overhauled by an officer and searched, with the result that Leon and his revolver spent the night at headquarters and Leon's friend (who had no gun) superintended the home-driving of the rig. Leon's mother appeared in court to vouch for her son. But said Justice Austin: "I will not encourage young men in the carrying of concealed weapons. Twenty dollars or twenty days." And that was rather stiff, considering the prevalence of footpads in the City of Angels just now.

Swaggered into Jail.

A swaggering, swine-eyed youth with a nose that somebody had smashed permanently out of position and a mouth that proved to be but a slit for the emittance of defiant mutterings, came into court under escort of two burly patrolman and pleaded not guilty to the charge of petty larceny. Also came there into court a brand-new suit of striped clothes, the property of one J. Blum, dealer, and of the value of $11—"unt sheep at that," said Blum. The prisoner flung himself contemptuously into a bench, said his name was E. J. Manning, demanded a jury trial, and was remanded to jail under $200 bond to appear for trial February 20.

Love and a Shotgun.

Ellsworth O. Brown, dwarf husband of a stout and vivacious wife, was arraigned on the charge of assault to murder. Preliminary examination was set for February 12, and bail was fixed at $2500, Attorney George Adams appearing in behalf of the prisoner. Brown is the husband who created vast neighborhood excitement by depositing a shotgun full of lead in the back of a gay ond youthful Lothario known as Frank Sepulveda.

RINDGE CASE ENDED.

Jury Assesses Damages Against the Government for Light-house Property at Point Dume.

What is known as the Rindge case, in the United States Circuit Court, was given to the jury at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after having occupied the time of the court for several days.

This was a condemnation proceeding on the part of the United States government to secure thirty-six acres of land at Point Dume for lighthouse purposes. The property belongs to Frederick H. Rindge, who contemplated establishing thereon a summer resort, and he asked the government $123,000 for it. The proceedings were to permit a jury to say at what price it should pass to the government, and at 6:15 last night the verdict was returned, fixing the price at $46,006. The case was tried before Judge Wellborn.

JEWISH PROPAGANDA.

CINCINNATI (O.) Feb. 9.—Nine of the thirty members of the executive board of American Hebrew congregations met here today at the Hebrew Union College. Samuel Woolmer of Peoria, Ill., was elected president to succeed Julius Freiberg.

A movement was started to establish Jewish churches in every community in the United States. In the larger towns synagogues will be built and rabbis stationed.

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OFFICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDIN[GS]

[Published by authority.]

At the regular session of the City [Council] held on Monday, February 9, 1903, the following final ordinances were adopted: [...] Fifth street between Boyle avenue [...] ings street; sewering Thirty-first [street from] Main street to a point eighty feet [...] Maple avenue; sewering St. Louis [street ...] roving of Second street from Mott [...] a point 345 feet east of Saratoga [...] roving of Seventeenth street from [...] Hoover street; sewering Third stre[et ...] point 36.36 feet northwest of Mott [...] point fifty-seven feet southeast of M[...] sewering Gates street from Downey [...] point 602.52 feet north therefrom [...] Brooklyn avenue from Mathews [...] streets; sewering Soto street from F[...] a point 420.00 feet southeast [...] street. Ordinances of intention were [...] follows: To improve Edgeware road [...] Carrillo street) to Douglas street; [...] sewer on Daly street, between [...] Alhambra avenue; also to s[...] teenth street from Hoover to Iowa [...] change and establish the grades of [...] streets: Seventeenth street [...] Pedro street to a point 1222 east; [...] avenue, from First street to Michi[gan ...] twenty-third street from Congress [...] La Salle avenue; Twenty-second [...] Congress to La Salle avenue; F[...] from Sixth to a point 323 feet north [...] street; also to establish the grades of [...] following streets: Roosevelt avenue [...] Washington street to a point 1252.50 feet [...] Ivenga street from Pico to San Ma[...] Alford avenue, Cambridge to [...] streets; Harvard avenue from Roxb[...] Cambridge street; Dorchester av[...] ton avenue to Pellissier street; [...] street from Western avenue to Pellis[sier ...] enos avenue from Washington [...] point 1252.50 feet west; Hough avenue [...] Eighth to Forty-first street; also [...] curb lines on First street between [...] Bay and Boylston street.

General ordinances were passed a[...] offering a bounty of 2½ cents for [...] killed within the corporate [limits ...] extending the time sixty days for [...] and widening of the following [...] Thirty-seventh street from Soto to [...] and; Seventh street from Soto to [...] Sunset boulevard from Main [...] Marion avenue; Twenty-first from [...] Lington.

Contracts were awarded for the [...] the following streets: Sixteenth [...] to Bond streets; Yale from Alpine [...] streets; also to sidewalk the [...] Union avenue from Temple to First [...] bids were received as follows: [...] cause 31 from Pasadena to Griffin [...] improve Eighteenth street between [...] Figueroa streets; to sidewalk F[...] between Court and First streets; also [...] Hollenbeck Park overflow.

THE ORANGE MARKET.

Special and Authentic Quotations by Telegraph.

NEW YORK AVERAGE PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] More liberal offerings today. [Six]ty-four cars of California oranges [and] two of lemons sold; well taken; [bidding] active and closing easy. Con[siderable] scarred and spotted fruit; [some] diverted cars showing decay, af[fecting] the average. Large fruit [firm.] Ninety-sixes reached 3.45; [...] 3.15. Better demand for fancy [...] 300s and larger; small fruit neg[lected.] Weather cold. One hundred [and] eleven cars in sight. Navels, extra [fancy,] large, 2.83; regulars, 2.29; fancy, [...] 2.58; regulars, 2.20; choice, large, [...] regular, 1.82. Extra fancy lemons, [good] pack and condition, 300s, 3.82; 360s, [...]; fancy, large, 3.05; 300s, 2.52; choice, [...] 2.00; 300s, 2.05; fancy tangerines, [...] 1.46; fancy grape fruit, 2.40. A [cargo] of fourteen thousand Sicily lem[ons] and large lot of foreign oranges [sell] tomorrow.

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirteen cars of California [oranges] were sold here today. Most of [the] fruit was inferior quality and badly [...], and prices realized were no [better] than at recent sales, while in [some] cases they were even lower. [Ever]ybody connected with the orange [busi]ness is complaining about the quali[ty] and appearance of the fruit being [recei]ved, consequently the demand is [about] as dull as it ever has been in the [hist]ory of the business. It is not a case [of pe]ople not wanting fruit, but simply [one] of fruit being wanted which is [not] available. There is nothing in the [situ]ation to warrant better prices until [the] fruit is better. Prices of Californias [were] as follows: Fancy navels, regu[lars,] 2.18; choice navels, regulars, 1.98; [stan]dard navels, regulars, 1.60; fancy [seed]lings, 1.65.

BOSTON PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There were twelve cars of Cal[ifor]nia oranges sold today. One car of [lemo]ns was offered and withdrawn.

The weather was cold and clear. Under continued light offerings our market should advance, but there was no improvement today over Friday's prices, and very little prospects for any decided change for some time. As the arrivals are heavier, and fruit is accumulating on tracks many of the Redlands and Highland cars today were very unsightly on account of brown spots and were discounted accordingly. There were seventy-four cars on the track after sales today.

Prices were as follows: Navels, extra fancy, large, 2.58; regulars, 2.50; fancy, large, 2.45; regulars, 2.27; choice, large, 2.11; regulars, 2.16.

California Prunes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Journal of Commerce says it is reported that considerable rejections of California prunes out of arrivals have been made within the last few days in this market. The reasons given for the rejections are soft fruit and irregular counts. The quantity rejected is reported to aggregate eleven carloads, a good portion of which is said to have been packed by one shipper on the Coast. The broker credited with being the largest receiver of these rejected goods declined to confirm the report. It is claimed in certain quarters that soft goods will not be used in the regular channels of trade. A good-sized lot is said to have been sold to a manufacturer, but the basis of sale was withheld. The soft fruit is said to have been damaged by rains which occurred in packing sections in the Coast during the latter part of the curing season. Referring to the situation, a broker said today: "These late rejections have, of course, caused uneasiness to be felt in several quarters, but if the damaged goods are moved into other channels, as is intimated, the effect will soon wear off. There has been considerable irregularity in the counts this year, and many lots arriving here have been rejected on this account. Some soft fruit in Oregon prunes has been declined on arrival here, and lately a considerable block of California stock has been refused by purchasers on arrival."

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 9, 1903.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. The clearings [of] the Los Angeles clearinghouse to[day] (Monday) were $852,409.70; same [day] a year ago $915,997.52.

STORED GOODS AS COLLATERAL. The Bureau of Foreign Commerce of the Department of State has just issued a hundred-page volume of "Special Consular Reports" on "Stored Goods as Collateral for Loans." As these reports, collected through the consular service of the United States from all the commercial cities of Europe at the request of the American Warehousemen's Association, give the approved methods and regulations of [the] older civilization for converting [stored] merchandise into safe collateral [for loans,] they will no doubt be of [much] interest to bankers and warehouse[men] of this country, where prac[tically] [much] of the millions of dollars [worth] of stored goods lie in ware[houses] without value for purposes of [credit] until actually sold and de[livered.] This publication will be of [value] to bankers and warehouse[men] of the country in devising a [method] of converting this valuable [property] into converitible assets.

COMMERCIAL.

ABOUT CANNED FRUITS. The [San] Francisco Trade Journal has the [follo]wing on canned fruits: "The mar[ket] is quiet as usual at this season of [the] year. Stocks are light and broken, [and it] is confidently stated that all will [be cleaned] up with the spring demand. Apri[cots] are quoted as follows: Extra [stan]dard, $1.30; standard, $1.15; sec[onds,] $1.05. There are few pears to be [had] at $1.50 for extras, $1.30 extra [stan]dards, $1.20 standards, and $1.10 [for] seconds. Peaches, both cling and [yel]low free, are in fair supply, and [are to] be had as follows: Cling extras, [$1.]45; extra standards, $1.32½; stand[ards,] $1.17½, and seconds, $1.07½. Yel[low] free, extras, $1.05; extra stand[ards,] $1.25; standards, $1.15; seconds, [$1.0]5. Plums are to be had as follows: [Ex]tras, $1.15; extra standards, $1.00; [stan]dards, 90 cents, and seconds, 80 [cents]."

WORLD'S WHEAT. Broomhall es[timates] the world's wheat crop at 3,[...],000,000 bushels, against 2,765,040,000 [bush]els a year ago.

LOTS OF COFFEE. The most valua[ble] article entering the port of New [York] during the year 1901-02 was cof[fee,] according to the report of the [Cha]mber of Commerce. Coffee to the [val]ue of $68,229,401 was imported, man[ufac]tures of cotton coming next, with [a] total valuation of $36,144,677.

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Ship[ments] of citrus fruits from Southern [Cali]fornia on Saturday and Sunday [were] 98 carloads of oranges and 10 of [lemons]. The total for the season, No[vem]ber 1, 1902, to date, is 4609 carloads, [of] which 604 carloads are lemons.

REBATES ON LEMONS. The ques[tion] of rebates on lemons is being [much] agitated by importing and brok[erage] interests in New York, but so [far] as could be learned today the New [York] Fruit Exchange has not taken of[ficial] action in the matter. The dis[continu]ance of the practice of giving [rebates] to buyers is a matter which [vitally] interests the importers, and [it is] understood they have been asked [to] confer with a view to taking action. [The] Exchange interests, it is stated, are [heartily] in favor of having the prac[tice] abolished, but it rests with the [importers] to take decisive steps to end [the] abuse.

BE GOOD TO THE PIG. That there should be a reform in the general management of swine as regards more pasture, more freedom from filth and muddy, bare yards, there can be no question. The tendency with too many hog owners is to regard the hogs as a sort of scavenger, a filth consumer, and that in this capacity the animal enjoys the best of health. It has certainly been proven that the hog can stand more abuse, neglect, exposure and ill-treatment than any other domesticated beast and live; that the hog is the animal above all others to respond to a change quickly, take on evidences of improvement, when its conditions are bettered, is certainly true. The hog is always a good helper on the farm; all waste grains and refuse feedstuffs are given to the hog, he is called upon to make a gain, return a profit out of nothing, on feed materials that often have no market value. The hog will do all these things for its owner, but with good care and good feed and accommodations it will do much more. Give the hog a chance, provide it with all the comforts possible for the cold weather, and your investment will be amply repaid in pork at the present high prices. —[Farmer.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

The week opened today (Monday) with business reported fair. Ranch eggs continued on their downward career, and were sold as low as 23 cents. This figure makes possible a retail price of 25 cents, which means increased consumption. The approaching Lenten season will also create an added demand. Receipts are only moderate. Some dealers believe that the market will not go much lower for a few days.

Butter is still very scarce; prices unchanged; few receipts from the north.

Cheese is none too plentiful; prices remain steady.

Fancy potatoes are firm; other grades about as last reported, save for a little weakness; several carloads coming in.

Onion market is split up; some big declines in yesterday's quotations at the Produce Exchange.

Beans firm; quiet locally; still considerable quantity going east from the State.

Sugar declined 15 points on the Coast, making cane sugar the basis at $4.47½ per 100.

Rex lard declined.

Flour firm.

Poultry wanted.

Game in fair supply; cotton tails sell well; some big swans in the market; game supplies quickly cleaned up.

Fish were scarce; quickly cleaned up.

Grain firm; hay unchanged.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 70; Coast creamery, 70; dairy, 67½; cooking, 50; all 2-lb. rolls.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 23@24; cold storage, nominal; fresh eastern, largely nominal.

CHEESE — California, Anchor, per lb., 17½; California, Young America, per lb., 18½; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 19½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 13@17½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 19; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 16@16½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15½; Mazaw, 15@16.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., Early Rose, seed, 1.60; Nevada Pearls, fancy, 1.35@1.40; Nevada Burbanks 1.25@1.35; Oregon, 1.25@1.30; Highland, 80@90; Salinas, 1.40@1.50.

ONIONS—Oregon, 1.00@1.15; Nevada, fancy, 1.25@1.35.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 80@90; cabbage, 70@80; carrots, 1.25@1.50 per cwt.; green chiles, 8@9 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 50@75; lettuce, per lb., 25@30; parsnips, 90@1.00 per cwt.; green peas, 2@3; radishes, per doz. bunches, 15@20; string beans, 10@11; turnips, 70@75 per cwt.; garlic, 3@5; tomatoes, per case, 2.00@2.25; summer squash, per box, 1.00@1.25; celery, 40@50; egg plant, per lb., 10@12; cauliflower, 75 per doz.; watercress, 35@40 per doz.; spinach, 14@18 per doz.

Beans and Lentils.

BEANS — Pink, per cwt., 3.25@3.50; Lady Washington, 3.75@4.00; small white, 3.75@4.00; Limas, 4.50@5.00; Garbanzos, 3.75@5.00; field peas, 3.50; lentils, 7.00@7.50; horse beans, 3.50.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. cost 10c, ½ bbls. 25c, and boxes 50c per 100 lbs. more. All prices are net cash. Beet sugar, 4.37½; cane sugar, 4.47½; cube, 4.60; powdered, 4.25; confectioners' A, 4.75; extra C, 4.25; Golden C, 4.15; D, 4.05.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@9; apricots, 6@8; peaches, fancy, 7@8; choice, 6@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 9@10; plums, pitted, 7@8; prunes, choice, 3@6; fancy, 6@9 dates, 5@9; new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 4@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8@9.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00; London Layers, per box, 1.00@2.00; loose, 6¼@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 5@7½.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13@12½; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils 11; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 5@5½; California, fancy raw, 5½; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 11¼@12½; hardshell, first grade, 10@11; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 1.25@2.00; green, 75@1.25.

ORANGES—Navels, per box, 1.50@2.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@2.25.

LIMES—Per 100, 90@1.25.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 1.25@2.75.

PERSIMMONS—Per lb., 12@14.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@6.00.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 12.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 14@18; fancy, 16@20.

GUAVAS—Per box, 10@12.

APPLES—Per box, 1.00@1.75.

PEARS—Per box, 1.25@1.75.

OLIVES—Per gal., green, 75@90; black, 85@1.25.

Provisions.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex, 14¼; California, 9½; Winchester, medium, 14¼; do., small, 15; Premium, 15½; skinned, 14½@15; Gold Band, 15½; mild cured, 14.

DRY SALT PARK — Per lb., clear bellies, 12¾@13¾; short clears, 12¾; clear backs, 11¾@12¾.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 14¼@16¼.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 15; Winchester, medium, 15¼; light, 16; Empire, 13½; Premium, 19; Diamond, C, 18¼; 49'er, 17¼; Gold Band, 19.

LARD — Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12¼; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 8½@8¾; suetene, 8¾; Rex, tierces, 11¾; White Label, tierces, 12¾.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.70@4.60; northern, 4.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.00; lower grades, 2.90@4.90; graham flour, 2.20.

ROLLED BARLEY—1.35.

CRACKED CORN—1.50.

BRAN—1.30.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 25@30.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 11@14; extracted, 6@7.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 6.00@7.00.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 2.50@4.50 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 3.50@4.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7½@7¾.

VEAL—Per lb., 8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 8@12; lamb, 10.

PORK—Per lb., 9¼.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 13@12½ per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@13 for turkeys, 16@19; geese, 11@12.

COLD STORAGE—Turkeys, 20@22 per lb.; hens, 16@17 per lb.; ducks, 14@16 per lb.

Game.

GAME—Per doz., ducks, canvasbacks 5.00@7.00; mallards 5.00@6.00; sprigs, 3.50@5.00; widgeons, 2.00@2.50; teal, 2.25@2.75. Geese—Honkers, 7.00@8.00; gray, 4.50@5.00; white, 2.50@3.00; doves, 1.25@1.50; cottontails, 1.35@1.50; rabbits, 75@1.00; hares, 1.25@1.50.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—1.30.

OATS—1.35@1.40.

CORN—1.35.

WHEAT—1.55@1.65.

HAY—Barley, 12.00@14.00; alfalfa, 11.50@13.00; tame oat, 13.00@14.00; wheat, 11.00@12.00.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—There was a revival of activity in today's stock market which brought out a volume of trading above the level of last Thursday. There was greater breadth and variety also in the dealings than for weeks. The advances were not made all at one time, but successive points of strength were developed and well held, in spite of the natural realizing under cover of the new strength. There was a pause in the upward movement after the opening spurt, but after that there was no general reaction until the final hour. This might be accounted for by the profit-taking sales of the room traders, who saw a larger day's profit accrued than for many days past. The reaction was somewhat emphasized by reports that new proposals had been received from Germany concerning the Venezuelan settlement which threatened to open up the whole question. The closing was steady and generally only a fraction below the best. Commission houses reported some increase on outside business, and some of the largest business of the day came from houses with extensive wire connections in the East, the Middle West and the South. The upward movement originated this morning in the Gould stocks and in the bituminous coal carriers. The Gould shares have had the advantage of an influential pool, which has carried on operations in the various securities of the group for some time past. Their special activity of Saturday and of today was professedly based on the active measures taken to complete the Atlantic outlet for the Wabash system. In the case of the bituminous coal carriers, the motive for the buying was the settlement agreed upon at Indianapolis between the miners and the operators fixing a wage scale. The possibility of discord over this question had been a shadow upon those stocks for several days. Another wage settlement which seemed to gather importance as it was considered was that between the Missouri, Kansas and Texas and its employees. The settlement is of importance in itself, and, in addition, it seems to be understood that it is to form a basis for agreement on practically all the railroad systems west of the Missouri River. The Pacifics, grangers, and Southwesterns consequently were all very strong. These settlements represent higher wages and corresponding increases in railroad expenses, but the willingness of the roads to accede to the terms is regarded as assurance of advantages to be derived. The unprecedented congestion of freight traffic upon the railroads of the country is an impressive demonstration of the high level of business activity and prosperity in the country. Present blockade conditions, it is true, are disadvantageous and promise some bad effect upon earnings, but the existence of the enormous traffic is demonstrated beyond dispute. While it is evident that heavy additional outlays must be made by the railroads for facilities to take care of their traffic, the conviction is growing that the conditions warrant confidence in the future prosperity of the railroads. In spite of Saturday's weak bank statement, the money market gave no cause for repression of speculative activity. Call loans fell below 2 per cent. in the late trading on the exchange. There was some prominent laggards in today's upward movement of prices, notably the Eries and the United States Steel stocks. The hard coalers did not share fully in the strength of the market, but the strength was fully comprehensive and embraced a long list of stocks and also quite a list of minor industrials, on a speculative theory that this class of stocks has a better chance for future growth of value than the already high-priced railroad stocks. There were heavy spots in the bond market, but enough points of strength to make the tone irregular. Total sales, par value, $5,050,000. United States 2s, registered, declined ¼ on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	88¾	So. Railway pfd	93¼
Atchison pfd	101¼	Texas & Pacific	42¾
Baltimore & Ohio	102⅝	T., St. L. & W	30
B. & O. pfd	95¼	T., St. L. pfd	45½
Canadian Pacific	137⅛	Union Pacific	102⅞
Canada Southern	74	Union Pac. pfd	94⅝
Chesa. & Ohio	53¾	Wabash	32
Chicago & Alton	38¾	Wabash pfd	52½
C. & Alton pfd	77½	W. & L. E	27¼
C. I. & L	67	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	37¾
C. I. & L. pfd	89	Wis. Central	28⅝
C. & E. Illinois	205	Wis. Cen. pfd	55⅝
Chicago & G. W	28¼	Express Co's—	
C. & G. W. "A"	82	Adams	200
C. & G. W. "B"	45½	American	227
Chicago & N. W	219	United States	146
Chicago Terminal	18¼	Wells-Fargo	235
Chicago Ter. pfd	34⅝	Miscellaneous—	
C. C. C. & St. L	95½	Amal. Copper	70
Colo. Southern	30¼	Am. Car & F	41⅝
Colo. So. 1st pfd	70¾	Am. C. & F. pfd	91½
Colo. So. 2d pfd	45⅝	Am. Linseed Oil	17½
Del. & Hudson	180½	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	44½
D. L. & W	265	Am. S. & R	47⅝
Denver & R. G	42¼	Am. S. & R. pfd	98
D. & R. G. pfd	90½	Anaconda M. Co	112¼
Erie	41⅛	Brooklyn R. T	69⅜
Erie 1st pfd	71¼	Colo. Fuel & I	74¾
Erie 2d pfd	63	Con. Gas	217¼
Great N. pfd	200	Cont'l Tob. pfd	117⅝
Hocking Valley	102¼	Gen. Electric	195
Hock. Val. pfd	97¼	Hocking Coal	20⅝
Illinois Central	146⅜	Int'l Paper	18
Iowa Central	43¼	Int'l Paper pfd	73
Iowa Cen. pfd	73	Int'l Power	54½
Lake Erie & W	47	Laclede Gas	89
L. E. & W. pfd	115	Nat'l Biscuit	47
Louis. & Nash	127¼	Nat'l Lead	28⅝
Manhattan L	145	North American	115¼
Met. St. Ry	137⅞	Pacific Coast	68½
Mexican Central	27	Pacific Mail	41
Mexican Nat'l	19⅝	People's Gas	107⅝
Minn. & St. L	107½	P. Steel Car	62⅝
Missouri Pacific	114⅝	P. S. Car pfd	93
M., K. & Texas	29⅝	Pull. Palace Car	232
M., K. & T. pfd	61⅝	Republic Steel	21¾
N. J. Central	180	Rep. Steel pfd	73½
N. Y. Central	150¼	Sugar	131⅜
Norfolk & W	75⅝	Tenn. Coal & I	65¾
N. & W. pfd	91	Union Bag & P	14¾
Ontario & W	34¼	Union Bag pfd	78¾
Pennsylvania	151	U. S. Leather	14¼
Reading	64½	U. S. L. pfd	91⅝
Reading 1st pfd	86½	U. S. Rubber	18½
Reading 2d pfd	76½	U. S. R. pfd	57
St. Louis & S. F	81¾	U. S. Steel	39⅛
St. L. 1st pfd	87	U. S. Steel pfd	88⅞
St. L. 2d pfd	73½	Western Union	90⅝
St. Louis, S. W	28⅝	Am. Loc. Co	30
St. L., S. W. pfd	63⅞	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	94½
St. Paul	180⅝	K. C. Southern	34⅝
St. Paul pfd	192	K. C. So. pfd	59
Southern Pacific	66	Rock Island	50¼
So. Railway	36⅛	Rock Isl. pfd	82⅛

Total sales for the day, 903,100 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg	108¼	L. & N. Un. 4s	100½
U. S. R. 2s coup	108⅝	Mex. Central 4s	78
U. S. 3s reg	107	Mex. C. 1st Inc	27½
U. S. 3s coup	107	M. & St. L. 4s	103½
U. S. n. 4s reg	135¼	M., K. & T. 4s	99
U. S. n. 4s coup	135¼	M., K. & T. 2ds	82¼
U. S. old 4s reg	110	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	104
U. S. old 4s coup	110	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	132¾
U. S. 5s reg	102⅞	N. P. 4s	103½
U. S. 5s coup	102⅞	N. P. 3s	72⅝
Atchison, Gen. 4s	102¼	N. & W. Con. 4s	100½
Atchison, Adj. 4s	92	Reading Gen. 4s	97
B. & O. 4s	102½	St. L. & I. M. 5s	115
B. & O. 3½s	94	St. L. & S. F. 4s	98
B. & O. Conv. 4s	105	St. L., S. W. 1sts	97
Can. So. 2ds	108¼	St. L., S. W. 2ds	83
Cen. of Ga. 5s	108⅝	S. A. & A. P. 4s	85½
C. of Ga. 1st Inc	78	So. Pacific 4s	91⅝
C. & O. 4½s	106	So. Railway 5s	117
C. & A. 3½s	78	T. & P. 1sts	116⅝
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	94¼	T., St. L. & W	79
C. M. & St. P. 4s	111½	Union Pacific 4s	103
C. & N. W. 7s	132⅝	U. P. Conv. 4s	106¼
C. R. I. & P. 4s	106	Wabash 1sts	118
C. C. C. & St. L	100¼	Wabash 2ds	108
Chicago Ter. 4s	88¾	Wabash Deb. B	84½
Colo. So. 4s	90⅝	West Shore 4s	111
D. & R. G. 4s	98⅞	W. & L. E. 4s	92⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	98⅜	Wis. Cen. 4s	92
Erie Gen. 4s	87	Cont'l Tob. 4s	65½
Fort Worth 1sts	112½	C. F. & I. C. 5s	91⅞
Hock. Val. 4½s	108⅝	Rock Island 4s	87⅛
Pennsylvania	106⅝	Manhattan	83⅜

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel pfd	88⅜
Call loans	4@5	West'house Com	104
Time loans	4½@6	Mining—	
Bonds—		Adventure	15½
Atchison 4s	101	Allouez	6¼
Gas 1st	106¼	Amalgamated	70
Mex. Cen. 4s	76	Daly-West	40
Railroads—		Bingham	39¼
Atchison	88⅝	C. & Hecla	540@545
Atchison pfd	101¼	Centennial	31¼
Boston & Albany	261	Copper Range	71
Boston & Maine	189½	Franklin	13½
Boston Elevated	159	Isle Royale	16⅝
N. Y. N. H. & H	230	Mohawk	58
Fitchburg pfd	142	Old Dominion	23¼
Union Pacific	102⅞	Osceola	76
Mexican Central	27⅛	Parrot	33
Miscellaneous—		Quincy	122
Am. Sugar	131⅜	Tamarack	185
Am. Sugar pfd	121	Trimountain	96¼
Am. Tel. & Tel	164½	Trinity	13⅝
Dom. I. & S	32¼	United States	27¼
Gen. Electric	194	Utah	32¼
Mass. Electric	35½	Victoria	8⅛
United Fruit	109	Winona	10
U. S. Steel	39½	Wolverine	69¼

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $224,216,191; gold, $101,528,503.

London Silver.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Consols, 93¼; silver, 21 15-16.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Weakness prevailed in wheat at the start on heavy world's shipments, a large increase in the amount on passage and liberal receipts in the Northwest, May opening ⅜c lower at 79⅝@79⅞. Trading was slow and of limited volume early in the day, but on reports from Paris showing an advance there of from 1½ to 2⅝c, the market became decidedly active, and a quick advance was made to 80¼. At the advance, general liquidation set in and the market declined as rapidly as it had previously rallied, May sold off to 79⅛. The latter part of the session was generally weak, with one or two slight rallies, and the close was near the bottom, with May ⅜c lower, at 79¼@79⅜. There was a bullish sentiment in corn, in spite of the weakness in wheat, and the market ruled firm throughout the day. The close was firm, with May ¼c higher, at 45⅝@45¾. Trading in oats was active, and the sentiment in the pit was somewhat bullish, but the weakness in wheat caused a considerable liquidation. The close was easy, with May ⅜c lower, at 37⅝. Provisions were quiet and firm on covering by shorts in May lard. May pork closed 2½c higher lard up 7½c, and ribs 2½@5c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
February	75⅝
May	79⅜
July	74⅜
Corn, No. 2—	
February	43¾
May	45⅝@45¾
July	43⅝
Oats, No. 2—	
February	35¼
May	37⅝
July	33⅜

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 79@80; No. 3, 77½; No. 2 red, 75⅝@76⅝; No. 2 corn, 43¾; No. 2 yellow, 43¾; No. 2 oats, 35¼; No. 3 white, 35@36½; No. 2 rye, 49; good feeding barley, 42@46; fair to choice malting, 48@56; No. 1 flax seed, 1.16; No. 1 northwestern, 1.21; prime timothy seed 3.60; mess pork, per bbl., 16.95@17.00; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.52½@9.57½; short ribs, sides (loose,) 9.05@9.25; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 8.12½@8.25; short clear sides (boxed,) 9.37½@9.50; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.30; clover, contract grade, 11.70.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	19,000	9,000
Wheat, bushels	45,000	17,000
Corn, "	285,000	282,000
Oats, "	331,000	138,000
Rye, "	8,000	3,000
Barley, "	67,000	7,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was quiet; creamery, 16@25; dairy, 15@23; eggs, weak, 18½; cheese, steady, 13@14.

Visible Supply.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The visible supply of grain February 7, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, was as follows: Wheat, 48,429,000 bushels; decrease, 13,000 bushels. Corn, 9,510,000 bushels; increase, 1,220,000 bushels. Oats, 4,720,000 bushels; increase, 795,000 bushels. Rye, 292,000 bushels; decrease, 606,00 bushels. Barley, 2,218,000 bushels; decrease, 191,000 bushels.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Wheat—Spot, easy; options closed ¼ to ⅛ lower. March, 84; May, 82¼; July, 79¼; September, 77½. Hops steady. Hides firm. Wool quiet. Coffee—Spot Rio, firm; mild unsettled; options closed 5@10 higher; March, 4.40@4.50; May, 4.50@4.60; July, 4.80; September, 4.90@4.95; October, 5.00; November, 5.00 December, 5.20; January, 5.30. Sugar—Raw, steady; refined nominal.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 2 3-16@3¼; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝; molasses sugar, 2⅞; refined, steady; crushed, 5.25; powdered, 4.75; granulated, 4.65.

Elgin Dairy Market.

ELGIN (Ill.) Feb. 9.—Butter remains at 25. There were no offerings and sales, the Quotation Committee fixing the price. The sales of the week aggregated 56,000 pounds.

Calumet and Hecla.

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The directors of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company today declared a dividend of $5 per share.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—Wool unchanged; Territory and western, medium, 17@19; fine, 13@18; coarse, 12@17.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Feb. 9.—Credit balances, 1.50; certificates, no bid.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 9.—Close: Wheat, March, 6s 4⅝d; May, 6s 2⅞d.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

DENVER CLOSING FIGURES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 700; firm; cows, 2.50@3.75; feeders, freight paid to river, 3.50@4.35; stockers, 3.00@4.25; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 200; weak; light packers, 6.60@6.70; mixed, 6.75@6.75; heavy, 6.75@6.80. Sheep—Receipts, 300; firm; good fat muttons, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 4.00@5.25.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Feb. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000, including 1200 Texans; steady to a shade lower; native steers, 3.00@5.40; Texas and Indian steers, 2.75@4.10; Texas cows, 2.30@3.35; native cows and heifers, 1.70@4.40; stockers and feeders, 2.60@4.55; bulls, 3.25@3.50; calves, 2.00@6.00; western steers, 3.00@5.00; western cows, 1.90@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 5000; weak to 5c lower; bulk of sales, 6.75@6.85; heavy, 6.75@6.90; packers, 6.65@6.80; medium, 6.75@6.90; light, 6.40@6.85; yorkers, 6.70@6.85; pigs, 6.00@6.65. Sheep—Receipts, 2000; strong; muttons, 3.50@5.10; lambs, 3.60@6.25; range wethers, 3.00@4.85; ewes, 3.00@4.90.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Wheat and barley weaker; oats steady; hay easier; bran and middlings firm; beans dull; butter weak; eggs weaker; cheese easy; oranges and lemons quiet; limes weaker; fancy potatoes and onions steady; green peas weaker; string beans easier; eggplant and tomatoes quiet; choice poultry quiet.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.40@4.65; bakers' extras, 4.30@4.40; Oregon and Washington, 3.70@4.25.

Barley—Feed, 1.17½@1.20; brewing, 1.22½@1.25; Chevalier, 1.55@1.60.

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Oats—Red, 1.25@1.32½; white, 1.25@1.45; black, 1.26@1.32½.

Hay—Wheat, 11.00@14.50; wheat and oat, 11.00@13.50; oat, wild, 10.00@11.50; barley, 10.00@11.00; alfalfa, 10.00@12.00; clover, 10.00@10.50; straw, 47½@57½.

Potatoes — Oregon Burbanks, 60@85; river Burbanks, 40@55; Salinas Burbanks, 90@1.15; river reds, 35@40; Merced sweets, 1.00; Early Rose, 1.10@1.25.

Millstuffs—Middlings 23.00@25.00; mixed feed, 18.50@19.50; rolled barley, 25.50@26.50.

Beans—Pink, 2.45@2.70; Lima, 4.25@4.35; small white, 3.25@3.40; large white, 3.15@3.30.

Various—Green peas, 2@4; string beans, 6@12½; tomatoes, 2.00@2.25; summer squash, 1.25; garlic, 3.

Fruit — Fancy apples, 2.00; common apples, 60; pears, common, 40; fancy, 2.00; persimmons, 25@75.

Eggs—Ranch, 24@26; store, 22@24; eastern, 22@24.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, navels, 75@2.25; seedlings, 50@1.00; Mexican limes, 3.50@4.00; common California lemons, 75; fancy, 2.50.

Poultry — Live turkeys, 17@18; dressed turkeys, 21@23; old roosters, 5.00@6.00; young roosters, 6.50@7.50; small broilers, 3.50@4.50; large broilers, 4.50@5.50; fryers, 5.50@6.50; hens, 5.50@6.50; ducks, old, 5.00@6.00; ducks, young, 6.00@7.50; geese, 2.00@2.50; goslings, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 2.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 75@2.50; pineapples, 2.50@3.50.

Butter — Fancy creamery, 25; seconds, 23; fancy dairy, 32; seconds, 30.

Cheese—California cheddar, 14@15; eastern, 15@17; Young America, 15@16.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 5838; wheat, centals, 6750; barley, centals, 7675; oats, centals, 2755; beans, sacks, 390; corn, centals, 500; potatoes, sacks, 2900; onions, sacks, 910; bran, sacks, 1245; middlings, sacks, 1078; hay, tons, 745; straw, tons, 21; hops, bales, 222; hides, number, 245; wine, gallons, 79,150.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Wheat stronger; May, 1.48¼; December, 1.27 bid. Barley weaker; May, 1.15¼. Corn, large yellow, 1.35@1.45. Bran, 18.50@19.00.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Silver bars, 47¾; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 12½; drafts, telegraph, 15.

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A. W. Rhodes and Mrs. Victoria Trask yesterday concluded the sale to a San Francisco investor of a lot, 30x165 feet, on the west side of Broadway, between First and Second streets, with a four-story brick business building, known as the Roanoke, and numbered 137 and 139; consideration named, $52,000. Present grantors bought the property about eight months ago from R. J. Northam, consideration then named, $45,000. Col. Northam bought it about two years ago from George W. King; consideration named, $35,000.

Drs. Henderson Haywood and H. West Hughes have sold to Fred Eaton 60x150 feet to a twenty-five-foot alley, with small brick building, Nos. 236-238 South Main street; consideration named, $46,000.

Bowen & Chamberlin have conveyed to Mrs. Luella J. Rogers, through Schenck, Tatum & Schenck, two lots 50x150 feet each, on the north side of Adams street, between San Pedro and Stanford avenue, with two eight-room two-story frame dwellings; consideration named, $8000.

Same grantors sell to Mrs. Jennie L. Cornish, through agency named, a lot 24x165 feet, on the west side of Grand avenue, 130 feet north of Twelfth street, with an eight-room frame dwelling; consideration named, $6000. An investment.

David F. Harris buys of Ralph Rogers acreage lots 22, 23 and 57, Mineral Park tract, lying between Rogers's subdivision of Garvanza, and Marmion Way, and just west of a portion of Lincoln Park; consideration named, $8000.

Benjamin F. Livingston has sold to Mrs. Zelda B. Gibson, through Robert Marsh & Co., and Strong & Dickinson, 50x130 feet on the northeast corner of Fourth and Hope streets, with a small cottage dwelling; consideration named, $6000. Purchaser will build frame flats.

W. J. Kyle has purchased of J. J. Chamberlin, through Althouse Bros., 50x150 feet, on the west side of Arapahoe st., 250 feet north of Pico, with an eight-room frame dwelling; consideration named, $5500.

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TROUBLES OF THE TURK.

Bulgaria Ready to Loosen the Dogs of War.

Preparations for a Great Rising Proceeding Openly.

Plans an Invasion of Turkey in Connection With Macedonian Rebellion.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Feb. 9.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It is asserted here that Bulgaria is determined to invade Turkey in the event of an insurrection in Macedonia, and that the Macedonian element in Bulgaria is so strong that nothing can prevail against it. Preparations for a great rising are proceeding openly. Four hundred officers in the Bulgarian army are asking for a prolonged leave, which will not be refused, in order to assist the rising in Macedonia. It is reiterated that seven bands aggregating 6000 men already have been formed.

The bands will spread throughout Macedonia under daring leaders, and it is calculated that they will soon be reinforced a hundredfold.

The usually mild weather now prevailing is held to favor an early outbreak, the only difficulty being the lack of funds, which it is intended to overcome by the forcible levy of a patriotic tax on Macedonians. It is further asserted that if Bulgaria is unsuccessful she is assured of Russian support.

HELD BY THE COLLAR BY ENRAGED MOTHER.

MAN ACCUSED OF EVIL DESIGNS IN SANTA BARBARA.

Admiral Schley Coming to the Coast for a Change of Climate and Rest on Mountains and by the Sea—Young Boy Held for Insanity.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 9.—Enraged because of the supsicious conduct toward her ten-year-oid daughter of one Charles Atkinson, a laborer, who recently came to Santa Barbara from the southern part of the State, Mrs. Ed Zuckweiler, the wife of a well-known barber, chased the offender about two blocks, and, overtaking him, grasped him by the collar and held him until an officer arrested him. Atkinson is about 45 years of age, and has the appearance of being in ordinarily prosperous circumstances. It is said that the mother detected him exhibiting money to her daughter as an inducement in attempting to carry out nefarious designs. Atkinson was charged with attempted criminal assault, entered a plea of not guilty, and his preliminary examination was set for Thursday at 2 p.m. In default of $500 bail, he was taken to the County Jail.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY COMING.

A letter was received today in which the announcement is made that Admiral Schley will arrive in Santa Barbara, accompanied by his wife, within a few weeks, and will remain here some time. It is said that the admiral has been anxious for a change of climate, and will seek rest in the mountains and along the seashore near here. Admiral and Mrs. Schley will be accompanied by H. K. McClure, the distinguished editor and orator of Philadelphia, who will seek a few weeks' rest on the Pacific Coast. Mrs. McClure also will be of the party.

NEWSY NOTES.

Fifteen-year-old Charles Gorham, a son of a well-known resident, is detained by the authorities awaiting examination as to his sanity tomorrow afternoon. The boy left home and after an absence of three days was found in a field in the outskirts of the city. The arrest was made upon complaint of the father, C. W. Gorham. The boys says he ran away from home because he feared punishment, and that he is not insane.

James Hobart Moore of Chicago is in the city, accompanied by a large party of immediate relatives and friends. Mr. Moore is one of the best-known capitalists of the Windy City. A few years ago he went "broke" in attempting to organize and control the Diamond Match Company trust, and when the storm of financial stress had blown over, it was found that financial institutions in Chicago held $1,000,000 or more of his paper. Moore recouped his losses through the organization of the tin-plate trust, as a result of which he has paid off his old indebtedness, great as it was, can draw a cheque running into seven figures, and he rides about the country in special trains. Mr. Moore is at The Potter and it is expected that he will remain in Santa Barbara three weeks. He brought with him twenty-five well-bred horses and half as many vehicles, saddles and other paraphernalia to enable him to take long trips to the mountains and along the seashore.

Among those who engaged passage on the steamship Santa Rosa this morning to Los Angeles were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gutierrez, George M. Bodie, H. M. Helwig, F. S. Boedenfeld and C. Larsen.

NEWS ON SHIPBOARD.

Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company Hopes to Serve Press Dispatches to Papers Published on Vessels.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Chancery Court has granted the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company an extension of its powers, by which it is entitled to carry on the business of news agent and publisher on shipboard. This probably refers to the scheme of publishing a daily newspaper on shipboard, the news being received by wireless telegrams.

Sig. Marconi, who was a passenger on the Etruria, said the idea of publishing a daily newspaper with wireless dispatches had taken tangible form. When the Etruria was twenty miles west of Browhead a summary of the day's news was transmitted and distributed to the passengers.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

All the world loves a lover, we are told—an addenda to which might be "especially some lovers," which is apropos to the interest being taken in the recently-announced engagement of Dr. Newmark and Miss Fleck by a wide circle of friends. Miss Fleck has decided on March 15 for the date of her marriage, which is to be a quiet home ceremony, perhaps as a contrast to all the gayety of which she has been the center since the engagement was made public. Both the young people are well liked, and many are the betrothal functions that have been arranged for them.

Among the pretty affairs of the past week of which they were the motif were those given by Mr. and Mrs. H. Newmark, Mr. and Mrs. L. Loeb, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kahn. Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Newmark, Dr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldwater also entertained for them. The coming week Dr. Newmark and his charming fiancée will be guests of honor at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Schlesinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Newmark and Mrs. C. Seligman.

Mrs. A. Goldwater, herself a lovely young matron, whose wedding day was one of January's events, just far enough distant to enable her to offer a young matron's hospitality, will entertain for Miss Fleck today and tomorrow at her South Flower-street residence.

To Playa del Rey.

If there is one delight that appeals more than any other to the hospitable soul of an Angeleño, it is that of showing the country to his eastern friends, and of late even "the country" has had to share the honors with "our beaches." Second to none in attraction is the recently discovered Playa del Rey, and this was the objective point of a party that left the city Sunday at 4 p.m. on the "Mermaid," the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Maier. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegmaier, who are here from the East, were the honored guests, as, indeed, they have been the occasion of much that is pleasant in the realm of society since their arrival. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Forve, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vollmer, Mr. and Mrs. Secundo Guasti, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Taggart, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Trueworthy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnwell, Mr. and Mrs. Will Maier, Mrs. Albert Schuneman of St. Paul, Minn., and Miss Amillo.

Arrived at the beach an elaborate course dinner was served at the hotel, the company being seated at one large round table, which was beautifully decorated with flowers and favors. A string orchestra that went down on the car from Los Angeles, furnished music. The return trip was made via Hollywood, the party arriving in the city at 10:30.

Rogers-Huston.

Miss Maud M. Huston and Read W. Rogers were quietly married Saturday morning by Rev. C. E. Long at the residence of Mrs. Henry Moss, No. 3036 East Fourth street. The happy couple left on the 8:45 train for San Diego and Coronado for a short stay. Mr. Rogers is the stationery department manager of the "Out West Company." Miss Huston is an accomplished young lady of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will be at home after April 1 in their new home, No. 1109 East Twenty-second street.

Evening at Hearts.

Mrs. Samuel Wadsworth Schenck entertained at hearts in her beautiful new home Saturday evening for Miss Raydia Squires. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and hearts. The favors were hearts and the refreshments were also carried out in hearts. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Squires, Misses Myrna Baldwin, Isabella Works, Mabel McKenzie, Gertrude McKenzie, Margie Menefee, Gerna Vandervoort, Adelaid Salmon, Paulin Barr; Messrs. Tate, Fellows, Frank Tatum, Clifford Tatum, McKenzie, Palern, Boyle, Hersey.

An Indian Club.

The Yuma Kick-a-Poo Whist Club held its last meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Elwer Cole on Rampart street, and added one more to the fiercely-fought mock battles of the winter series. The prizes, which are awarded by the club, were won—the first two by Mr. and Mrs. Cole, respectively, and the consolations were awarded Mrs. H. L. Graham and George Morgan.

There were present Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. John Fulmer, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Le Doux, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wren, Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan, Mrs. H. L. Graham; Miss Graham, Miss Grace Wren, Miss Kate Wren; Messrs. Fred MacGregor, W. R. Hollingsworth, W. I. Hiatt.

Notes and Personals.

Miss Katherine Thompson of Playa del Rey, who has been the guest of Miss Eaton of West Twelfth street for several days returned to her home yesterday.

Mrs. C. B. Woodhead of Buena Vista street and her niece, Miss Woodhead of Chicago will be at home every Tuesday in February, afternoon and evening. In March Mrs. Woodhead will again resume her regular days, the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith of Chicago are visiting Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Frost at No. 1011 West Twenty-third street for several weeks. Mr. Smith is one of the prominent real estate men of Chicago's South Side.

Mrs. Philip Gengenbre Hubert will give a luncheon for Dr. Yamei Kin Wednesday at her residence on Portland street. There are to be twelve at table.

W. B. Southwell, manager of the Burlington Hawkeye of Burlington, Iowa, is in the city for a few days on his return from the City of Mexico with a party of friends.

Miss Alice J. Gastren has just returned from her eastern trip.

Mrs. George A. Montgomery has issued invitations for a large card party Thursday, in compliment to Miss Leona Smith.

Mrs. Fannie Knight and Mrs. I. B. Snow of Chicago are making a prolonged stay in California, guests of Mrs. Wood at No. 1341 Constance street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Niles have issued invitations for a series of oriental "at homes" at their Maple-avenue home, to take place the evenings of February 19, February 20 and the afternoon of Saturday, February 21.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Stearns will receive for their daughter, Miss Katherine, Saturday evening at their St. James Park residence, entertaining with a Valentine party.

Invitations have been issued by the Westlake Tennis Club for a Valentine hop, to be given Saturday evening. The committee in charge is composed of Roy Ward, Leslie Henry, Bernal Dyas and Frank Woodbury. The patronesses are Mmes. Murray Langmuire, George A. Montgomery, Warren L. Campbell, William Bailey, R. J. Dyas, W. A. Henry and B. L. Harding. Because the dance is taking place Saturday evening and will stop before midnight, the first number will be called promptly at 8:30.

Dr. George Dock and family of University of Michigan, are visiting their sister, Mrs. E. J. Marshall, no. 1206 Ingraham street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. La Du, Jr., will be at home the first and third Wednesdays at No 203½ South Hope street.

Miss Sarah L. Hunt and Herbert L. Rawson were married Thursday evening at Hotel Mount Pleasant by Rev. D. K. Travis.

Henrietta B. Freeman of New York City, who is passing the winter at her old home in this city, is spending a few days at Loma Linda.

Messrs. Dessery, Sheehan and Kellar were the jolly hosts at a successful and enjoyable dinner at their camp at Wilmington, recently, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, Misses Dessery, Elizabeth Woods, Isabella Sylva, Alice Woods, Martha Sylva, Flora Woods, Gertrude Woods, Stella Reynolds; Messrs. Dessery, Sheehan, Kellar, White and Swift.

E. E. Dennis and family of Grand Rapids, Mich., are occupying one of the Ellsworth cottages, No. 113 South Avenue 66, this winter.

Mrs. S. G. Winchester of Eldora, Iowa, visited her brother, Capt. R. C. Ellsworth of Avenue 66, last week.

Mrs. C. N. Sterry and Miss Sterry have arranged an evening of private theatricals and dancing for the 11th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lacy of South Burlington avenue, entertained informally at cards Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegmaier of Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Mrs. Orcelia Hines of Pasadena, and C. S. Knapp of Shiners' Eddy, Pa.

A. H. Farnam, president of the Aberdeen Lumber and Shingle Company of Aberdeen, Wash., is in the city for a few weeks, located at No. 1211 Ingraham street.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilcox will visit Los Angeles some time in March. Mrs. Wilcox, known to the public as Ella Wheeler Wilcox, writes to friends in this city that they will leave New York February 26.

Miss Marion Godfrey of San Francisco is the guest of Miss Mellus at No. 157 West Adams street.

Mrs. J. J. Mellus recently gave a pretty luncheon for Mrs. Dutard of San Francisco.

GRAVE-ROBBING CASE.

Defense Will Claim in Behalf of Dr. Alexander That Testimony of Negro Ghouls is False.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 9.—The defense in the trial of Dr. J. C. Alexander, charged with being implicated in the grave-robbing cases, outlined its evidence as soon as court opened today. The opening statement was made by Mr. Spaan.

The defense proposes to show that Dr. Alexander was of good moral character, while the negroes who testified against him were disreputable and unworthy of belief. The defense is that when Cantrell and Martin went to Dr. Alexander's office they went there for the purpose of securing employment to clean up the college, as they had done that kind of work in Chicago and other places. Dr. Alexander told them such employment was out of his department, but to call again, and he would give them an answer.

In the meantime, he consulted with several members of the faculty, and was told that he might employ Cantrell, and Dr. Alexander agreed to pay him $30 for the work. On the second trip, Cantrell told him that he was furnishing dissecting subjects for other colleges, and would like to furnish some for Dr. Alexander. The doctor replied that if he could get the bodies legitimately he would pay for them.

The defense offered to prove that at the time of this conversation, Dr. Alexander was writing to doctors in different parts of the State asking for material that could be furnished under the law. The defense also proposed to show that the money expended by Dr. Alexander for Cantrell in the way of fines, and with the pawnbrokers was deducted from the amount that Dr. Alexander agreed to pay Cantrell.

The defense said that it would show that while Cantrell was before the grand jury he went to a telephone and called up Dr. Anderson, whose office was across the hall from Dr. Alexander's in the Claypool building. Cantrell, the defense asserted, made himself known and asked Dr. Anderson to inform Dr. Alexander that he need not fear, that he (Cantrell) was being paid for what he was doing and that no harm should come to Dr. Alexander.

YOUNG'S LIFE SAVED.

On Suggestion of the Judge the Degenerate Pleads Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—William Hooper Young, on trial for the murder of Mrs. Anna Pulitzer, pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Justice Herrick explained that he had advised Young's counsel to change his plea, and also advised the District-Attorney to accept it, this action being taken because of the prisoner's mental condition. According to the report of the doctors, he was not insane in the legal aspect of insanity, but from a purely medical point of view he is not sane.

In sentencing Young, the justice said: "There is no occasion now for me to make any remarks as to the enormity of your offense. You are aware of the penalty of your crime. The sentence of the court is that you be confined in State prison at Sing Sing at hard labor for the term of your natural life."

For the first time since the case was called Young walked into court today without assistance. His eyes had lost their look of vacant terror, and he sat straight in his chair, looking at the court. His responses to the questions of the judge, however, were made in an inaudible voice. He showed no signs of perturbation after sentence had been passed.

OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE NOTES.

The second semester of the year will be opened with an address by Rev. Hugh K. Walker, in an address at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. After the address the students will be dismissed for the day, and the visitors will be shown over the buildings.

Tonight the entertainment by the junior class will be given. This has created a great deal of interest, as the programme has been kept secret. While the evening is known to have especially strong musical numbers in store, the interclass rivalries and the personals expected are probably responsible for the large number of tickets sold. The class has as much as promised an evening of college fun. There are five boys in the class, and one young lady, and they have worked hard to make the "Juniors' latest" a success.

Wednesday afternoon will be held the annual home field day to help the trainer pick the men for the different places. The track will be in good condition and class enthusiasm from the senior and junior versus the sophomore and freshmen sides will probably add much to the results.

Prof. Ellen M. Parker of the department of mathematics has tendered her resignation. She will soon go east with her mother, to her former home. Prof. E. A. Allen will be at the head of the department.

MINES AND MINING.

FAMOUS LUCKY TIGER HELD UNDER OPTION.

CALIFORNIA CAPITAL IN DEAL TO ACQUIRE MINE.

Great Activity in Southern and Western Arizona and Nevada—Stock Exchange not Yet Ready—Negotiations Pending for Purchase of Ratcliff Mine.

Capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of the Lucky Tiger mine of Sonora, Mex., and the announcement is made that an option to purchase the property has just been given. The price named is $600,000.

During the past few months several parties have examined the mine, which is regarded as one of the richest surface gold propositions in Sonora, but the option was given to B. F. Graham of Bisbee, who, it is believed, represents a San Francisco syndicate.

The Lucky Tiger consists of sixty-six pertenencias of land of about 150 acres. There is a ledge of gold-bearing ore that varies in width from two to twelve feet. The values are high, some of the samples running into the thousands.

"It's a property to be worked on a large scale," said a local mining man who returned from Sonora yesterday, "and rumor has it that it is Mr. Graham's intention to organize a large stock company and to install machinery that will handle large quantities. This is the mine that W. C. Greene of the Cananea offered $250,000 for. Philadelphia capitalists have also been after the property, but were too late. The mine has the earmarks of a great property."

EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENTS.

Carl F. Schader of the Nevada-Keystone Mining Company has just returned from a trip through the rich mining country in Western Nevada and Arizona. While absent he visited the Nevada-Keystone mines and the German-American property.

"At the Nevada-Keystone work is progressing rapidly," said he yesterday. "The station for the new hoisting plant is complete, and the new ore bin of 350-ton capacity is also ready for the pay rock. Three eight-hour shifts are at work on the new incline, which is to be sunk to a depth of 1000 feet; this incline is going down about the center of three ore chutes. It is expected that the new station will reach the 300-foot level by March 1.

"Another gang is sinking a winze from the 300 to the 400 level on one of the finest ore chutes yet found in the mine. It is expected that the company's mill will resume operation March 1.

"On the Barefoot property, held by the Nevada-Keystone under bond, a fine new ore chute has recently been struck in the main tunnel. A winze sunk to a depth of twenty-five feet is all in ore. This chute has a trend toward the Keystone property and is the same in character. The company has forty-five men on its pay roll."

Over at the German-American mines, which are near the Gold Roads, one of the most promising ore chutes ever uncovered in the district is being systematically opened up by a shaft and a tunnel on the thirty-fifth parallel, the principal claim in the group. The shaft is fifty feet in ore that returns assays of from $20 to $50 to the ton. The tunnel is 184 feet, and it is expected that the vein will be struck in the next sixty-eight feet. As soon as the vein is struck, drifts will be run in both directions, as the ore chute has a length of about 600 feet showing values of from $14 to $30 to the ton.

"This property was recently bonded by the German-American to William Bayly for a large sum," said Mr. Schader. "It is being equipped with a Durkee electric-drill plant, which will be in full operation in a very short time. About thirty men are at present employed there.

"At the Gold Roads mine a great camp is being built, and it begins already to look like a city. A dry-crushing and cyanide plant of 200 tons daily capacity is being erected. In addition to the Gold Roads mine the company, which is a French syndicate headed by G. P. Posey of this city, is opening up the Billy Bryan and Liner mines with results equal to, if not exceeding, the Gold Roads."

The Leland mine, recently sold by Col. Ewing of this city to a Philadelphia syndicate, is another of the big properties of the district that is being opened up on a large scale. Great tonnage of valuable ore is being opened up by a number of tunnels that are being driven on each side of the mountain. The company is establishing one of the best-equipped plants in the district. Already a number of substantial buildings have been erected and there are at least fifty men employed.

Lumber and machinery for the company's mill are being hauled from Mellen to the mill site, which is several miles below the mesa near the Colorado River.

"Every district I visited showed great activity," said Mr. Schader, "and I look for important surprises the coming spring. There is plenty of capital behind the large undertakings, and in most instances the work is being carried on under intelligent management."

WILL INVESTIGATE STOCK.

The management of the Los Angeles Miners' Stock Exchange announced yesterday that it will be several days before the exchange is open for business. The reason assigned for the delay is the inability of the Listing Committee to pass on companies whose stock has been offered for listing privileges. The exchange will not accept the stock of any corporation until it has been passed upon by the Listing Committee. Bylaws of the organization require that certain requirements must be observed such as the filing of expert reports, certificate of title to property, mill return, etc. The committee is now at work, but it will probably be several days before returns are made.

AFTER RATCLIFF MINE.

It is now reported that negotiations are pending for the sale of the Ratcliff mines at Ballarat, eastern investors now considering the purchase of the property, now valued at a quarter of a million.

The property consists of a group of twelve claims in Pleasant Cañon. They were worked a dozen years ago, but owing to bad management could not be made to pay. There is one vein in the mine that is sixty feet in width and every foot of ore will pay to mill. The principal owners are Michigan capitalists.

STRIKE AT FEDERAL.

Another good strike is reported from the property of the Federal Gold Mining Company at Vanderbilt. This property was recently taken charge of by the Federal company, organized by Capt. C. H. Thompson, L. C. Gilliam and others of this city, and there are at present about thirty men at work on the property. Three hoists are in running order and a ten-stamp mill will also be in operation in a week or so.

The principal ore chute is found on the 200-foot level, and shows an average width of seven feet. It carries values at from $8 to $12 a ton.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Belcher	47	Mexican	150
Best & Belcher	295	Occidental Con	80
Caledonia	295	Ophir	240
Challenge Con	14	Overman	58
Chollar	42	Potosi	56
Confidence	132	Savage	44
Con. Cal. & Va.	305	Sag Belcher	27
Crown Point	35	Sierra Nevada	57
Gould & Curry	82	Silver Hill	48
Hale & Norcross	130	Union Con	132
Justice	12	Utah Con	56

DOOR OF HOPE.

At a meeting held yesterday in Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church the committee reported the following-named to constitute the advisory board of the Door of Hope: Rev. Dr. Hugh K. Walker, Dr. F. A. Seymour, Rev. C. F. Dorland, Lyman Stewart, Judge C. D. Wilbur, Maj. J. R. Toberman, Rev. William H. Day, and Rev. E. P. Ryland. Funds have already been received toward the home, a suitable place found, and steps taken to purchase the property. This home is soon to be opened and conducted along lines similar to those of other Door of Hope homes established through the instrumentality of Mrs. Whittemore of New York, and which have been the means of rescuing many unfortunate women. Mrs. Quimby, No. 133 Winfield street, is treasurer, and funds are also received at the Bible Institute, No. 330½ South Broadway.

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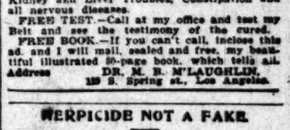

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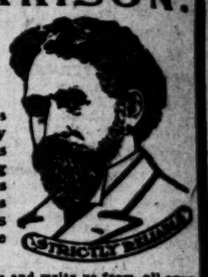

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the regular session of the City on Monday, February 9, 190 final ordinances were adopted: Th th street between Boyle avenue am street; sewering Thirty-first street to a point eighty-six avenue; sewering 8th Lin ing of Second street from Mott feet 345 feet east of Saratoga ing of Seventeenth street from ers street; sewering Third stree at 36.25 feet northwest of Mott at fifty-seven feet southeast of ering Gates street from Boyle point 662.5 feet north therefrom; sign avenue from Mathews s ts; sewering 8th street from Fi a point 420.00 feet southeast Ordinances of intention were ws: To improve Edgeware roa ills street) to Douglas street; t ver on Daly street, between Alhambra avenue; also to pa th street from Hoover to Bon re and establish the grades of ver street to a point 122 feet from First street to Michi ty-third street from Congress alle avenue; Twenty-second s ress to La Salle avenue; Fif Sixth to a point 525 feet north also to establish the grades o ng streets: Roosevelt avenue fro th street to a point 1250.10 fee ge street from Pico to San Pe d avenue, Cambridge to Ha e; Harvard avenue from Adam ambridge street; Dorchester ave ers avenue to Pellissier street; ue from Western avenue to Wash ue, avenue from Avenue 19 to 1252.30 feet west; Hough aven ch to Forty-first street; Avenue urb lines on First street between and Boyle between First and ; several ordinances were passed as ng a bounty of 2½ cents for ea illed within the corporate limi ding the time of sixty days fro and widening of the following ty-seventh street from Budlong enth street from Soto to Ma ue avenue from Thirty-seventh n avenue; Twenty-first from Ma Sunset boulevard from Main to n avenue; Twenty-first from Ma sixteen.

ntracts were awarded for the fo following streets: Sixteenth to Hoard streets; Yale from Alame ; also to sidewalk the west avenue from Temple to First; a ts were received as follows: Ba ue 31 from Pasadena to Griffith rove Eighteenth street between igueroa streets; to sidewalk Pico en Court and First streets; also beck Park overflow.

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[NEWS REORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

ORK BEGUN ON NEW PASADENA ELECTRIC.

CIFIC COMPANY SAID TO BACK CAMPBELL-JOHNSTON.

ien Invitation to the Nation's dent—Former Speaker Henderson y Visit Iowa Picnic—Country Club ets Officers for the Year.

ASADENA, Office of The Times, No. outh Raymond avenue, Feb. 10.— nday 200 men under Contractor ley, were set to work building the ric railway for which Campbell- son was granted a franchise a time ago. The men are working arvanza, at a point on Pasadena ue where the Pacific Electric and ilt Lake tracks cross, a hundred or so southwest of the Garvanza . The building is being done d Pasadena, by way of the th of the Angels, and through the bell-Johnston ranch. It will be ed as rapidly as possible, and may leted, all save the bridge across arroyo, in thirty days, if steel and material enough can be found. e question that is bothering the ic mind considerably is whether the ific Electric Railway Company is ding this enterprise. Director E. W. th said last night, when the ques- was thrown up to him point blank, he really did not know. He neither ed nor confirmed.

ere are reasons, pro and con, In first place, numerous employés of railroad say that they know that Pacific Electric is doing the work of ding. They wag their heads and wise when questioned. The ex- ting for the new route is within w feet of the present tracks of the ific Electric at Garvanza, with every arance of an ultimate intention to pect, and it is generally understood Campbell Johnston cars are to get into Los Angeles over this . It is very probable that the new is simply a loop of the incumbent ny, making another scenic route Los Angeles, like the short line. only mystery seems to be why the pany does not own up to it, and they want so many ways of get- over the ground to the bigger city. haps the key to the situation lies Huntington's policy of acquiring perty, and improving its value with service, as he has done about South ena and Hollywood. It will be re- ed that only a short time ago, . H. Holshird, formerly Hunt- 's right-of-way agent, was spiele- for a boulevard over the Campbell- ston line, is prophesied that this ch, San Rafael, would some day be ught by big interests, improved, and lt up. Anyway, lots of hard think- citizens believe that there is a deal tween the Pacific Electric and bell-Johnston in this railway ject.

OLDEN KEY FOR PRESIDENT.

In the event of the President coming the Pacific Coast next May, the cit- of Pasadena have arranged a ng invitation to Mr. Roosevelt and party to visit Pasadena. This ng consists of a key of solid , five inches in length, and elab- ished, thrust through a crown ornamental workmanship. The key is to be placed on a highly-polished d of manzanita wood, while on a rd of orange wood is en- the invitation. This card is beneath the manzanita, in a of exquisite workmanship. The box 6 inches long by two and a half wide, and one inch deep. It is re reasons, pro and con, In of orange wood, very highly pol- by hand, with silver filagree ings at the corners, and silver hinges on the lid. The inside is with silk. The Pasadena Nov- Company, in whose shop the box made, gave the box to the city, J. Herbert Hall, the jeweler, the key. The committee dele- by the city to make this gift composed of W. J. Heigs, repre- ing the City Council; W. R. Clark, esenting the Pasadena Board of , and J. H. Hall, representing Merchants' Protective Association.

HENDERSON MAY COME.

Speaker of the House of Repre- tatives Henderson may attend the Iowa picnic, which is to be held at Lake Park, Los Angeles, on Feb- 21, Washington's birthday being day. But Henderson will not be aker of the occasion, because no longer a speaker, having re- President J. W. Gates of Po- ege will be the orator of the Intimate friends of Henderson that he has signified his intention ing southern California this year, he does not come in time to the picnic he will come later, ps for supper.

expect to have about 2500 e had at that time," said C. F. Hamlin of the Iowa ay last night. This fourth annual g will be larger than ever before. n't know how many Iowans there Pasadena but if you run up and the street and yell Marshaltown ough other person will look Everybody will bring his bas- and stay as long as he likes. Free be served."

RIPTION CLUB ELECTION.

Hawthorne Country Club's annual ion was held yesterday. Four va- ies were filled with the expiration of directors were filled with the A. W. Armstrong, J. S. Cra- Ivans and J. E. Jardine. Charles Russell and H. n the holdovers. F. E. elected president; H. F. president; J. E. Jardine, secretary. The report of ed the club to be in ition. There are now ding non-resident ers. There are eighty- and the mem- to 300.

NEWS BRIEFS.

W. Hall, one of the founders of Chicago Inter-Ocean, and for ny years its literary editor, is stop- with his wife at No. 376 North ena avenue. Mr. Nixon has been ing about two months, and will re- to Chicago the winter. He has out his interest in the Chicago and retired from active news- work.

Pasadena Automobile Club will its first touring cars to Pomona Wednesday morning, leaving Hotel at 9:30 o'clock. Owing to the that the weather has caused sev- postponements, a number of peo- have been secured as passengers, about six or eight autos will make total run in the service which for the benefit of the good-roads ound was broken yesterday for Garage Company's brick building Pasadena avenue and Colorado street. The structure will be 50x170 feet and two stories high.

The City Commissioners yesterday recalled all bids for the new fire-engine house and instructed that the advertising for bids be done all over.

A. L. Crosby died in Los Angeles Sunday night of heart trouble. He was a pioneer butcher of Pasadena, having been with the firm of Breiner & Crosby. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the parlors of Ives & Warren.

Ralph Rybolt, the three-year-old son of H. O. Rybolt, died Sunday morning in South Pasadena.

Mrs. Elsie Loring, aged 25, died yesterday on South Moline avenue.

The death of Frederick Mattere, aged 90, occurred yesterday in North Pasadena.

Bishop and Mrs. Joseph H. Johnson and Miss Grace Wotkyns have returned from the City of Mexico.

The Pasadena Hospital trustees are in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, in which she states that if the association will go ahead with the project of raising funds for the maternity ward she will agree to raise $500 in addition to the $500 she previously contributed.

Mrs. Stewart of South Fair Oaks avenue frightened away a burglar who was robbing her house Sunday night.

The Christian Scientists have begun the erection of a small temporary church on the corner of Colorado street and Oakland avenue to be used until they can build the larger church planned sometime ago.

Mrs. J. E. Janes is seriously ill at the Pasadena Hospital.

Pasadena ladies are invited to visit the food-product exhibit of Bishop & Co., at 210 West Third street, Los Angeles. Bishop's soups, baked beans, jellies and other dainties are served free.

Venetian laces, trimmings and gowns, Persian rugs and draperies. Fine selection. Cressaty & Birdsall, 17 West Colorado.

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Furnished houses to rent for season or year. Bruce-Strafford Realty Co., 26 S. Raymond.

Warmest tourist resort in California, Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.

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Special sale Indian blankets at Glasscock's.

Wadsworth sells paints. 85 E. Colorado.

Carrier wanted. Times Office, Pasadena.

Valentine ice-cream at McCament's.

BURBANK.

VALLEY NOTES.

BURBANK, Feb. 9.—The recent rains have been of the greatest benefit to every growing crop, and the cold weather has most advantageously retarded the fruit trees, and vines of every variety. Total precipitation to date 11 inches.

B. H. Wilson of Little Rock, Ark., is the guest of his brother, T. L. Wilson and family, and has bought property here.

Reed, the eleven-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Snyder of Los Angeles, who died there after a few days' illness, was buried at Grand View Cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. Drummond McCunn of the Presbyterian Church here.

S. I. Bliss of Illinois has bought two ten-acre tracts on the foothills, and will set them to oranges. The quality of fruit raised in these foothills with the minimum of irrigation is said to equal the Riverside navels.

Rev. L. N. Lockwood of Iowa and wife, who are visiting their son, Clarence Lockwood, are so well pleased with this vicinity that they have bought the Chandler ten-acre walnut orchard and the John Weber walnut orchard of ten acres for $7000. These have been among the best-paying orchards in the valley the past season.

Miss Camelia Candelilot of Fernando is the guest of Mrs. John Luttge.

The gospel meetings at the Christian Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Smith, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hall of Artesia, are continuing with interest.

A score of Mrs. T. L. Wilson's friends gave her a delightful surprise party on the occasion of her birthday at her residence at Olive and Sixth streets.

R. J. Hubbell is detained in Los Angeles by the critical illness of Mrs. Hubbell at the California Hospital. Her recovery is hardly expected.

The Home Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. Drummond McCunn at the parsonage.

Postmaster Fischer has had completed important improvements in the postoffice quarters in the brick block.

Mrs. John D. Radcliff is visiting in Lordsburg.

Miss Eva Craig is visiting friends in Pomona.

The lecture course to be given for the benefit of the general fund of the Methodist Church is well under way, most of the tickets have been subscribed for, and early announcement of lecturers and subjects will be made by the Lecture Committee, of which Capt. J. F. Trueman is chairman.

LONG BEACH.

EXTENDING THE TOWN.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 9.—The work which the Seaside Water Company has under way will, when completed, extend the inhabited area of the town a long way toward Terminal Island. The company has 145 animals employed grading the beach for a half mile westerly from Asbury and back from the shore line to the Salt Lake Railroad. An artificial lake is to be one of the features of the enterprise. The work extends about to the river, which is the westerly city boundary on the beach. From the area now in the hands of the graders there is a gap of not more than three miles to the built-up part of Terminal Island.

LONG BEACH NOTES.

The subscriptions received for stock in the proposed Masonic Hall for Long Beach aggregate $11,000. The estimated cost of the building is $35,000.

Four years ago there were only three or four pupils in the Alamitos Heights school. Now there are between forty-five and fifty.

The launch Helena Saturday brought in about three hundred pounds of whitefish, caught on the banks out at sea.

Former City Recorder D. A. Sovereign is critically ill.

The rain Saturday night amounted to 1.31 inches, making the aggregate for the season here 12.03 inches.

The young people of the Long Beach Congregational Church are preparing to give a Valentine social Tuesday evening. Real made-to-order valentines are to be in evidence.

The Citizens' Water, Light and Power Company, which was recently formed, has extended its mains into the northeastern part of the city. D. P. Thayer is superintending the construction.

Mrs. S. Williams and daughter-in-law, Mrs. F. E. Williams, of Cleveland, O., are at the Park View as guests of Columbus Ward.

Mrs. D. S. Norton of London, Eng., is staying at the Julian.

The Long Beach Ebell gave a reception at the Julian this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Greenleaf.

The Kingore sisters gave a musicale at the Del Mar Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McIntosh of Sydney, Australia, who left for the East Sunday morning.

Misses Alice and Jennie Biekel of Three Rivers, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Mueller and daughter of Chicago, Miss H. R. Cole of St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. B. M. Tallman of Auburn, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Duncan of South Dakota, ex-Lieut.-Gov. and Mrs. John T. Kean of Woonsocket, S. D.; H. D. Montanya, Jr., of San Francisco, Mrs. Jessie Zavitz of Santa Ana, and B. T. Dyer of Nome, Alaska, are at the Park View.

J. C. Thompson of Salt Lake, A. D. Sharp of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. G. Von Plasser and child of Boyne, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clarkson of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Evans of Indianapolis, Ind.; A. L. Hussy of San Francisco, T. J. Morrow of Appleton, Wis.; H. C. Maloy of Sonora, Mex.; Mrs. F. E. Alexander of St. Louis, Mrs. J. E. Brady, child and maid of New York City, John Carroll of Singapore, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Stark of Rockville, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Logan of Los Angeles, Fred Murdock of St. Paul, Minn.; L. H. Russell of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tate of Chicago, S. P. Walton of Pittsburgh, Pa., are at the Del Mar.

POMONA.

BURGLARS THERE.

POMONA, Feb. 9.—Petty thievery hereabouts has passed through the regular course and now has reached the burglary stage, several houses having been entered. Late Saturday afternoon Deputies Cason and Schlider were driving on San Antonio avenue, east of J. H. Graber's house, when they saw two suspicious looking skulkers near the barn. The officers drove toward the building, and the intruders prepared to skip. One hastily shed a pair of Mr. Graber's trousers, and a hat, and started running toward Towne avenue, where he tossed off a stolen coat, with Cason in pursuit. He was caught at Sixth street, after an exciting chase. He made a denial, saying the other man had done the stealing, and had turned the goods over to him to carry. He gave the name of Harry Moore. His story was "fishy," but sufficient evidence could not be obtained to charge him with burglary. This morning he was brought before Justice Barnes, pleaded guilty to petty larceny, and was sentenced to six months in the County Jail. The other man hid in Newerf's orange orchard, and escaped after first having thrown away seven silk handkerchiefs and three pocket-knives belonging to Graber, which were found among the orange trees. City Recorder Lee last a pair of driving reins, which were stolen from the bridle of his harness last night.

OF LESSER IMPORT.

Yesterday's rain was .44 of an inch, bringing the season's total to 8.30 inches.

Solicitors for the new Pomona Valley Telephone Company are visiting houses in the city now, and signing up subscribers. The suburban canvass has been going on for some time, with good success.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Swigert and son of Toledo, O., are here at Hotel Palomares for several weeks.

Rev. Joseph Nunan of St. Joseph's Catholic Church has gone to Elsinore Hot Springs for a few days' rest.

F. K. Adams has purchased of T. N. Elliott a lot on the south side of Holt avenue, near Ellen street, and J. R. Garthside has bought two lots fronting on Center street from Mr. Elliott.

Special low weekly rates at Hotel Redondo, Redondo Beach.

RIVERA.

GOOD TEMPLARS' NIGHT.

RIVERA, Feb. 9.—The Good Templars installed officers Saturday night and had an oyster supper. Several of the members were blackened and as colored cooks and waiters, added much to the merriment of the occasion. The tables were decorated with ferns and smilax. Toasts were responded to by Rev. R. W. Reynolds, Rev. W. D. White, Dr. W. J. Groton, D. M. Dorman, T. D. Beckwith, Carson Magill and Miss Sarah Brown.

The Crescent Club gave its second dance in Burke's Hall Saturday night. The Ladies' Aid Society will give a social Friday evening.

Carrie Thayer of Long Beach is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Gilman.

D. M. Dorman of Redondo spent Saturday and Sunday in Rivera.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

PEOPLE OPPOSE FREE LANDING.

AVALON, Feb. 9.—It is not only the Banning Company that is interested in the legislation now before the lawmakers at Sacramento. The citizens of Avalon are taking such an interest that they have gotten up a petition to the Legislature requesting that no action be taken on the bill presented by Senator Hubbell looking toward making Catalina a free landing place for all who may come. This petition was not inspired by the Banning Company, but was the spontaneous act of a few of the leading property owners, who are loth to see any change in the order of things on the island, and was signed by nearly everybody on the island, whether property owner or resident, but two persons refusing to do so.

RAILWAY WIRELESS.

G. T. Bell, general passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, Montreal, Can., was a visitor to Catalina today. Mr. Bell is out here with an invalid daughter, who is staying at San Dimas Along with other railroad men, Mr. Bell is greatly interested in the wireless telegraph and hopes soon to see it applied to the running of trains. He has been making experiments from moving trains and on one occasion kept up a continuous communication for eight miles. His first signal was from a point eighteen miles distant.

INSULAR BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Wolf were out with the Katherine fishing this morning and captured eleven whitefish and half a dozen groupers. Mrs. Wolf is a daughter of Mr. Cooper of the great department store of Siegel & Cooper, Chicago, who was the originator of the department store.

J. D. Kiddoo, now of Redondo, out with the Nestella this morning, brought in the largest catch of albicore seen here for some time. There were thirty-nine and averaged twenty-five pounds each.

C. B. Strohm and wife of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Skinner of Valparaiso, Ind., were out with the Aileen this morning, and secured twenty-two fish, comprising whitefish, sheepshead and groupers.

Sir Walter Waring and wife out with Mexican Joe Saturday rounded up sixty-eight whitefish and eight groupers.

W. H. Scott of Chicago out with the Helen this morning brought in twelve whitefish and eight groupers.

W. O. Cadwallader of London Mills, Ill., a member of the State Board of Equalization, Fourteenth District, with a party of fifteen friends, is at the Bay View.

T. M. Walker and wife, Miss Florence and Master Robert Walker, Mrs. B. F. Kauffman, Miss Mary Kauffman and Ray Kauffman of Des Moines, Iowa, are making an extended stay at Hotel Metropole. Mr. Walker is a business partner with Secretary of the Treasury L. M. Shaw.

H. D. Cook and wife and R. A. Austin and wife of Chicago are at the Grand View.

R. D. Hooker, W. H. Booth and F. A. Helmuth of Minneapolis are stopping at the Grand View.

F. F. Tomblin and wife of Los Angeles are guests at the Windsor.

Carrie Nation visited Catalina today, but there was "nothing doing."

Constipation

Ruined Dr. Dill's Health.

DR. DILL, St. Louis, Mo.

It will treat you the same way. You can not be constipated and remain strong and well. Indigestion and dyspepsia are its symptoms. If you belch you have constipation. Dr. Dill first got constipation, then he lost his appetite, he became weak and sick, his kidneys went back on him and he had to give up his practice.

Mull's Grape Tonic Cured Him

just as it will cure you. Constipation is the rotting of undigested food in the stomach. A physic won't cure. It makes it worse. Pills, Castor-oil, Salts and other such treatments are no good in a case like this. Dr. Dill tried them all. Mull's Grape Tonic will not physic a well man. Its action on a constipated person is quick and permanent.

A St. Louis Doctor Tells How He Was Cured.

Gentlemen:—I beg to thank you for calling my attention to Mull's Grape Tonic, some time ago.

My profession requires close application and confinement to the office, and after several years of this indoor, sedentary life, my health completely broke down; my stomach was bad, my liver out of sorts and I felt tired and worn-out all the time.

When you first showed me Mull's Grape Tonic I was skeptical, but took your word for it, and now after taking several bottles, feel as well as I ever did in my life. It is a splendid medicine for the stomach and bowels, and the best general tonic I ever saw. I thank you again for calling my attention to Mull's Grape Tonic. Yours very respectfully,

810 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo. DR. E. A. DILL.

This is not the only doctor who recommends this great cure. Mull's Grape Tonic is pleasant to take. It will cleanse the entire system of all disease. It will make strong muscles and solid flesh because it makes pure rich blood. If it fails, you can have your money back. The grape is the greatest flesh-builder known. Mull's Grape Tonic is in no way like cathartics and pills. Most people who are run down are sufferers from constipation. Cod-liver oil won't help them because it increases the constipation habit. Mull's Grape Tonic will positively cure.

For a large sample bottle send 10 cents to cover postage to Lightning Medicine Co., Rock Island, Ill.

All druggists sell Mull's Grape Tonic. 50 cents a bottle.

F. W. BRAUN & CO., WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS.

WAS JOLLYING DAY FOR JIM GRAY.

HE HAD UNION LABORITES ALL IN A HUBBUB.

Reported That He Had Made a Sure-enough Deal With Hearst to Come Here and Bust the "Hurled" and Make a Real Exciting Newspaper.

"Have you heard it? Have you heard it? Well, but this time it's right! Say, that'll be the end of The Times! Why, there won't be....What? the Herald? Oh, shucks! the Herald won't last sixty days—anybody knows that. But, golly! Hearst sure will give The Times a run for their money! Heh? Oh, well, now, I tell you it IS right—we know it for sure this time. And we did it! WE did the whole thing. Lord, but The Times'll be sore!"

This is a verbatim excerpt from several bunches of union-labor glee overheard in half a dozen different places yesterday afternoon and last night. For the thirteenth time in as many successive months the "tip" went out in labor circles yesterday that W. R. Hearst "has at last fully decided to start a daily newspaper in Los Angeles." The "news" spread like wildfire, and by the middle of the afternoon the minions of Jim Gray—"Crafty Jim"—had gathered themselves together in small and excited knots in their favorite hang-outs around town and were working themselves into a fever of delicious expectancy over the glad and radiant "news" that "Hearst has decided at last."

For months past the Los Angeles County Council of Labor has been traveling on its knees to and fro between this city, San Francisco and New York in a tumultuous endeavor to "show" William R. Hearst that he is missing the opportunity of his journalistic career (and playing simple hob with his full-grown political dreams) by delaying to establish a newspaper in Los Angeles. Daily "conferences" have been held by Jim Gray and his serious-eyed "leftinints" touching ways and means to convince the laggard publisher, and heavy have been the drafts on the laborites to foot the telegraph bills for pleadings and arguments forwarded to Hearst by wire.

When T. T. Williams, the manager of the Examiner, passed through Los Angeles last November, Jim Gray and a few of his chosen gained a five-minutes' "conference" with him. For three days thereafter there was great bustling in the ranks. The Council of Labor leaders informed Mr. Williams that if Mr. Hearst would only buy the "Hurled," so that it should be made over into a newspaper, they would guarantee him 500,000 paid-in-advance subscriptions in Los Angeles county alone. Or, maybe, it was 5000. But it seems that Thomas T. played coy. It is reported that the Hearst Right Bower told the Jim Grayites that he was much brighter at counting twenty-dollar gold pieces than at figuring on "guaranteed" subscriptions.

Ever since that memorable five-minute "conference," Jim G. and his soubrettes have been at it tooth and nail, trying to drum up promises among the labor folk to subscribe for "any kind of a publication that Mr. William Randolph Hearst may consent to establish in Los Angeles." It is claimed for Jim that he and his anxious-eyed helpers have collected no less than 6000 or 7000 of these promises in the county—and surely that ought to convince any newspaper publisher! Just think of it! Seven t-h-o-u-s-a-n-d promised subscriptions to start with! Why, that would pay pretty nearly one week's running expenses.

LOCAL SPORTING RECORD.

PETITION FILED FOR SPRING RACE MEET.

J. W. BROOKS WANTS POOL-SELLING ORDINANCE CHANGED.

Programme of Local Field Day of Occidental College—No Fight Between Kid Carter and Billy Woods—Bowling Match Last Night.

The new pool-selling ordinance, which caused local sensation last month, will come up before the City Council again next Monday. Yesterday morning, J. W. Brooks, lessee of Agricultural Park, filed a petition with the Council, asking that the present ordinance be so amended as to permit of limited spring and fall race meets here. The petition was referred to the committee of the whole, and will probably be taken up next Monday.

After reciting the fact that good race meets cannot be conducted without pool-selling, the petition states that horse racing has been the means of creating and maintaining an important industry in Southern California, and petitioner does not believe there is any public demand that racing should be stopped in this city.

Mr. Brooks states in his petition that he and his associates went to an expense of from $6000 to $8000 in preparing for the race meet that was stopped by the new ordinance. The point is made that it is now too late in the season for a big spring meeting, and that one of the principal objects of a short meeting would be to relieve the embarrassments of the many horsemen who came here before the ordinance passed and who are not allowed to race at Oakland by Tom Williams, simply because they did come here.

In conclusion, the petitioner states that he is willing to pay a reasonable license to the city for the privilege asked for.

This petition is the latest development in the trouble concerning the use of the track at Agricultural Park.

It will be remembered that the Los Angeles Driving Club got out an injunction to prevent Brooks closing up the track to the members' horses, but Brooks never paid any attention to the injunction. Instead of fighting it in the courts, he threw open the track to everyone, and any horseman is now at liberty to train horses on it.

To show that he was a true sport, he went further than that, it seems, and offered the local colleges the free use of the track for their field days. His offer has been accepted by the colleges, and the race track has already been secured for the college field day to be held on February 22.

PUGILISM.

CARTER CAN'T MAKE WEIGHT.

Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight, finished stepping around yesterday to be admired by the minor ring attachés, and will go into active training today for his fight with McVey on February 26. He will make his headquarters at the Lily Club on New High street. McVey will probably do the most of his work at Oxnard and finish off his work here.

Manager McCarey of the Century Club wired Kid Carter yesterday, offering him a match with Billy Woods in this city. The only stipulation was that the weight should be 158 pounds at 3 o'clock on the day of the fight. Carter telegraphed back that this weight would be impossible, and so a match between the men is probably off for good.

TRACK ATHLETICS.

OCCIDENTAL FIELD DAY.

Local college athletes are devoting their attention at present to the outcome of the local field day of Occidental College, which will be held tomorrow afternoon, for the winners of the events will meet the winning team of the Pomona-U.S.C. field day to be decided at Agricultural Park on February 23. Speculations as to the victors tomorrow are useless, for the winners can only be known when the day is done.

The programme will begin at 2 o'clock, and the events and entries will be as follows:

The 100-yard run—Cleland, Taney, Walker and Dane.

The 220-yard run—Cleland and Walker.

The 440-yard run—Raney, Millen, Dane, Thompson and Hagerman.

Mile run—Dilworth, Roth, Lee and Spaulding.

Hammer-throw—Dane, Buell, Bacon and Millen.

Shot-put—Dane, Bacon, Cleveland and Andrews.

High jump—Hammack, Thompson and Herriott.

Broad jump—Hagerman, Thompson, Herriott and Clay.

Hurdles—Herriott, Dilworth and Fish.

Pole vault—Bacon, Solomon, Clay and Merrill.

There will not be any relay race.

It will be seen from the above list that there are many new men in the team. These are Raney, Walker, Millen, Roth, Lee, Spaulding, Herriott, Fish, Clay and Merrill. Some of them are said to be very good in the events in which they are entered, and others will not make good.

Representatives of Pomona College were at the Occidental College yesterday trying to arrange for a field day between the teams of the institutions for February 14, but no agreement was reached. Occidental will meet Pomona, however, two or three weeks after the U.S.C. day, providing Pomona is willing.

BOWLING.

COLISEUM TEAM WON.

The Belmont team, crippled by the absence of one player, lost three games last night to the Coliseum team on the Coliseum alleys. McGrath of the winners, made high roll and high average, having two scores over 200. The results were as follows:

Coliseum—	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Koller	147	198	142	145 1-3
Burke	192	162	136	163
Dee	12	181	170	187 2-3
McGrath	223	203	165	197
Simpson	185	159	156	183 1-3
Totals	861	851	864	
Total pins—2576.				
Belmont—	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Hungerford	154	145	164	151
Goldsmith	164	164	158	162
Trecosti	148	197	183	170 1-3
Painter	193	158	178	176 1-3
Stratton	148	191	162	167
Totals	857	865	845	
Total pins—2567.				

A Limit Somewhere.

A six-year-old of my acquaintance just returned from London, had been admonished by his governess that if he were not good he would never go to heaven. "I've been to the coronation, the circus and the Zoo," he replied. "I can't expect to go everywhere."—[The Bulletin.

"Not One Mouthful

of table food should be given a child before it is one year old?" says Dr. Holt. What substitute then? Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk is absolutely the safest and best infant food obtainable. Avoid unknown brands. Send for "Baby's Diary."—Adv.

Platt's Chlorides, a True Disinfectant.

An odorless, stainless liquid. Cheap and safe.

KILLS GERMS OF CATARRH

Hyomei Goes to the Root of the Disease and Makes Astonishing Cures.

Catarrh cannot be cured by the use of pills, liquid medicines and so-called system tonics. Under such treatment the germs of the disease will still live in the air passages and increase and multiply.

Hyomei is the only scientific and thorough way to cure catarrh. Killing the germs in the air passages, it enters the blood with the oxygen, destroys the microbe in the blood and effectually drives from the system all traces of catarrhal poison.

Thousands of testimonials have been given as to the astonishing cures made by this remedy. J. S. Nugent, treasurer of the American Union Life Insurance Co., of New York city, writes: "Hyomei has completely cured my daughter of catarrh from which she has been suffering for years."

Probably the strongest evidence that can be offered as to the powers of Hyomei to cure catarrh is the fact that your druggist will agree to refund the money if you say Hyomei has not cured you.

ASTOR'S PHILANTHROPY.

Quarter of a Million for Comfort of Soldiers and Sailors While Staying in London.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 24.—William Waldorf Astor is rapidly blossoming out as a philanthropist on the Carnegie scale. Following his large gift to the National Rifle Association, he was waited upon by Lady Howe, who organised the yeomanry hospitals in South Africa, and by a few other distinguished folk, who have interested themselves in the welfare of the rank and file of the army and navy. This self-appointed committee suggested to the millionaire a scheme for the establishment of a residential club for the ordinary soldiers and sailors, who are continually passing through London, or are here on furlough. Mr. Astor was informed that 80,000 Tommies and Jackies would be likely to use such a club in the course of a year.

Mr. Astor consulted with Lord Rowton, whose "Rowton Houses" here are a counterpart of the Mills hotels in New York, and has finally decided to guarantee $250,000 for the club. A site has been obtained close to Waterloo Station, and the money guaranteed by Mr. Astor will be sufficient to put up a building containing dining rooms, billard saloons and other attractions, and about four hundred bedrooms. The furnishings will have to be obtained from other sources, and it is understood that this will be supplied by Sir Thomas Lipton, Sir John Blundell Maple and a few other millionaires interested in the scheme. Among the supporters of the plan is Sir Frederick Treves, who performed the recent operation on the King.

Philippine Extradition Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—What is known as the Philippine Extradition Bill was signed by the President today, and is now a law.

Orpheum Tickets Free

For Nat Goodwin cigar bands.

CATARRH OF THE MIDDLE EAR

Produces deafness, causes roaring and crackling noises; makes your ears discharge, causes ringing in your ears, makes your hearing worse some days than others. As the catarrh progresses, there is a steady, disagreeable ringing or roaring in the ears, due to the entrance of the catarrhal inflammation into the eustachian tubes, which are two small tubes connecting the ears with the nasal canals, and entering the latter canals at a point well back toward the beginning of the throat. This roaring disappears only when the catarrhal inflammation in the nose and throat has been cured. SMITH BROTHERS' S. S. CATARRH CURE takes regularly will reduce and cure all catarrhal inflammation. Many who have been deaf for years have had their hearing restored by the use of S. S. Crtarrh Cure. For sale by all druggists. Circular on catarrh free. Address Smith Bros., Fresno, Cal.

A GIFT BOOK OF 200 PAGES FOR YOU on Oriental Medicine, Diet and Hygiene by FOO & WING HERBOO. T. Foo Yuen, President. Ex-Official Physician to the Emperor of China. A guide to health and how to keep well. We also give a pulse diagnosis free without asking a question, and invite comparison with any diagnosis or experience had. Always ready to give you the best and diagnose your pulse. They cost you nothing. Our office is always open to receive you. FOO & WING HERB CO., 903 S. Olive St., Los Angeles, Cal.

THE DR. WONG CO., And Chinese Herbs.

INVESTIGATE our past twenty years in city; learn what our medicine has done for the sick. Herbs and medicine for sale. Best of reference to responsible people. Sanitarium and office

713 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Store opens 8:30 a.m.
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Shortest Department Store hours in the city.

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HAMBURGER'S

127-147 N. SPRING LOS ANGELES

Ladies' Manicuring 25c.
Why pay 50c elsewhere for no better?

$5 Ping-Pong Jackets $3.98.

A choice line of these popular jackets in solid colors, red or white; made in blouse effect, have knitted cuffs and collars; not only serviceable for athletic purposes but for general outing wear. They are actual $5.00 value. A leader for today..... $3.98

SECOND FLOOR.

20c Laces, 10c.

Point de Paris and Normandy Valenciennes Lace Edges and Insertions—choice patterns; strong mesh; good edges; widths up to 5 inches; values up to 20c. Per yard 10c

20c Embroideries at 10c.

Fine Cambric Embroidery Edges—nice quality; choice patterns; wide margin; open and close effects; widths up to 5 inches; values up to 20c. Price per yard..... 10c

$1.50 Leather Goods at 75c.

A choice assortment, including traveling cases, shaving sets, engagement books, jewel cases, picture frames, cigar cases, combination pocketbooks, chatelaine bags and other values up to $1.50. Choice..... 75c

$2.00 Ornamental Clocks at 98c.

Assorted lot 24-hour time—fully guaranteed; kept in repair 1 year free of charge. They are in gilt, cameo and Wedgewood; values up to $2.00. Price..... 98c

30c Taffeta Ribbons, 19c.

Choice assortment colorings, also cream and white; soft finish; high luster; suitable for neck and sash; 3½ inches wide; 30c value per yard..... 19c

Manufacturer's Sale of High Grade Shoes.

Second Day of Footwear Sale for Women, Misses, Men, and Children.

There is no reason why any should be disappointed for there are full and complete lines of every one of the shoes advertised in this great sale and all of them are the productions of the very best factories in this country. They are the over-production during the regular season's business and are perfect in material, style and make. We will refund the purchase price to any patron who is in the slightest dissatisfied or we will give a new pair for any shoes that do not wear as you may expect.

$2.95 a Pair — Women's $3.50 and $4 Shoes—Button and lace styles, Goodyear welt or turned soles, Louis XV, military or medium opera heels, large variety of toe shapes, patent or kid tips, all sizes and widths. A new pair for any in this lot which do not wear.

95c a Pair — Women's Patent Leather Slippers — One strap style with low leather heels, round toes; all sizes, actually worth $1.50.

$2.45 a Pair — Assortment Fine Slippers—including patent kid, Vici kid and dull mat kid with Louis XV heels; some four straps and beaded ornaments; others plain with two or three straps; also a lot of new Colonial buckle styles. Not a pair in lot worth less than $3.50.

$1.45 a Pair — Women's $2 Shoes—Genuine Dongola kid and box calf, lace or button styles, patent leather and kid tips, low common sense heels, all sizes in C, D, E and EE widths.

$1.45 a Pair — Men's Calf Shoes—lace style; plain or capped toes; sizes 7 to 11 and an actual $2.50 value.

$2.45 a Pair — Women's $3 Shoes—Fine soft Vici kid or box calf, lace and button styles, heavy welt extension or light flexible soles, all sizes and widths.

$1.45 a Pair — Misses' $2 Kid Shoes—Lace style only, either low flat or spring heel, sizes 11½ to 2.

$2.45 a Pair — Men's Box Calf Shoes—lace style; double soles; Goodyear welt; comfortable lasts and an actual $3.00 value.

$2.95 a Pair — Men's $4.00 Velour Calf Shoes—Lace style; Goodyear welt oak soles; all sizes; C & D. widths only. A new pair for any which do not wear.

$2.95 a Pair — Men's Patent Leather Shoes—Colt and patent kid; Goodyear welt soles; newest shape lasts; double or light single soles; all sizes and good $3.50 values.

$1.95 a Pair — Women's $2.50 and $3.00 Shoes—An assortment of 1000 pairs; selected kid stock; lace and button styles; newest shape toes; patent or kid tips; low heels or medium opera heels; heavy or light flexible soles. A new pair for any which do not wear.

85c Lace Lisle Hose 50c.

A choice new lot of hosiery just received—in popular allover lace lisle. There are eighteen patterns in lace to select from; all made with double soles, heels and toes and are equal to any 75c and 85c values in the city. Introductory price per pair.. 50c

Men's 59c Underwear at 39c

Winter weight Derby Ribbed Cotton Undershirt finished with silk button stand; has pearl buttons; high French neck. Drawers thoroughly reinforced; good colors; 59c values at..... 39c

Men's $1.50 Underwear at 75c

A sample line high grade All Wool Garments—wool, fleeced, and fine Derby ribbed; regular $1.25 and $1.00 values. Some slightly soiled, but in perfect condition; sizes 38 to 44. Price..... 75c

Men's $7.50 Bath Robes, $2.65

Just sixty in the lot—material heavy weight eiderdown and Terry cloth; amply proportioned; finished with all wool tassels; sizes 34 to 46; values $5 to $7.50. Choice..... $2.65

65c Golf Shirts, 39c.

Good quality Percale Golf Shirt in good range of colorings; well made; perfect fitting; some have detached cuffs; sizes 14 to 17; regular 50c and 65c values at..... 39c

Men's $2.00 Pants at $1.00

Genuine Dickey Kersey Pants—well shaped; thoroughly reinforced and good, serviceable colorings; actually worth $2.00; sizes 34 to 42; priced for Tuesday only per pair.. $1.00

Second Day Opening Sale,

Iron Beds, Springs, Mattresses and Couches.

Judging from the public interest and the patronage yesterday this new department will soon become one of the most important in this big house, for in this commodious salesroom are shown as many lines of couches and beds as to be found in many exclusive stores, and all of them at much lower prices. The goods are all high grade and our prices will average one-third less than similar goods are priced elsewhere.

Couches.

at $2.95 — Box Couches with turned leg, 6 feet long, covered in Tapestry, nicely tufted, full spring seat, sold regularly at $5.00.

at $4.95 — Fine Velour Couches—Full spring seat and head, covered with fine Velour, has turned legs, fringed all around, sold regularly at $8.50.

at $8.50 — Large Spring Edge Couches—covered in fine Velour have latest patent springs, all open bottom showing springs, guaranteed not to break, sold regularly at $12.00.

Iron Beds.

at $3.50 — Full size Iron Bed—Finely Finished double scroll head and foot board; 1-inch pillow post; trimmed with heavy brass balls; all steel joints complete, with our special attachment.

at $6.95 — Heavy Brass Rail Bed—High head and foot board, painted in fancy colors; two heavy brass spindles and brass ring ornaments; also has extra deep foot board; regular value $10.50.

at $10.25 — Scroll Top Brass Rail Beds—with several fancy scroll pieces and brass ornaments; together with our own special attachment.

at $11.50 — Heavy Enamel'ed Beds 1¼ inch upright posts with ⅝ inch rail and ½ inch filling; 3 large rosettes on head and foot board; a good $14 value.

Mattresses.

at $2.45 — Soft Top Mattress—5-in. box covered with fancy ticking; made with full size heads; 2 rows of stitching and is closely tufted.

at $7.75 — Cotton Felt Mattresses—Most comfortable and serviceable mattress made; has 30 layers of pure sanitary cotton; covered with extra fine ticking; made in two parts and perfectly reversible. Equal to others' $12.00 values.

at $8.50 — Black All Hair Mattress—45-lb. weight; good clean hair; covered with best "A. C. A." ticking; deep box edges closely stitched and closely tufted; made in two parts.

Bed Springs.

at $2.95 — All Iron Springs—No wood side rail, making it perfectly germ proof; the spring is steel woven wire, with extra cable support; worth $4.50.

Extra Special.

at $10.95 — A Fine Bed Complete—worth $17.00.
1 fine enameled brass rail bed, full size $6.00
1 steel woven wire spring $2.50
1 soft top mattress, satin ticking $6.50
1 set pure feather pillows $3.00
Complete value $17.00

BASEMENT.

50c All Wool Fancy Waistings Yd. 25c

On Sale Tuesday, 9 to 12 a.m. only.

As a specially meritorious trade winner we will for three hours selling Tuesday morning place on sale 100 pieces of All Wool Fancy Waistings in Flannel weave; the colorings plaid, blue, red, gray, old rose, black and cream with fancy lace stripes. They have sold up to now at 50c. For this sale, no telephone orders filled, per yard..... 25c

Sale of Dress and Walking Skirts.

Prices at or About One-Half Regular.

Beginning today, we will specially feature a sale of dress and walking skirts until our entire winter lines are completely closed out. There are at least 2000 skirts in the assortment—all of them were in the season's most popular styles, are of best materials and at regular prices have been lower than elsewhere.

$6.50 WALKING SKIRTS—consisting of all-wool Meltons; gray, blue, brown and black; plain, kilt, flare and self-trimmed styles. Sale price $3.98

$7.50 WALKING SKIRTS—line of fine all-wool Covert and Melton cloth skirts; shades of gray, tan, green and blue; also black; self-trimmed and kilt flare styles; all good values at $7.50. Choice of this assortment at..... $4.98

$8.50 ALL WOOL WALKING SKIRTS—colorings are light and dark gray, green, blue and tan; they are all wool Melton cloth, and are neatly trimmed and kilt flare styles; perfectly tailored, correctly fitting good $8.50 values; sale price... $5.98

$9.00 ALL WOOL WALKING SKIRTS—in shades of light and dark gray only; they are of extra fine material, strictly all wool, and are prettily plaited and are made in the new flare style; the prettiest of popular priced garments of the season; sale price $6.50

$6.50 DRESS SKIRTS—including all wool Covorts in colors and black with satin trimming; also black Etamines, Cheviots and Broadcloths in plain flare and silk trimmed flounces; well lined; perfectly tailored. Sale price, choice..... $3.95

$10.00 ALL WOOL DRESS SKIRTS—including fine black Etamines, Cheviots and Broadcloths; some of them handsomely trimmed; others in plain flare styles; either lined or made with separate dropskirt; assortment $7.50 to $10.00 values. Sale price..... $5.00

$7.50 TO $10.00 DRESS SKIRTS—assortment of fine Cheviots and Broadcloths in navy and black only; plain, flare and silk trimmed styles, correctly tailored; perfect fitting and actually worth $10.00 and $15.00. Sale price, choice..... $6.95

$15.00 ALL WOOL DRESS SKIRTS—Etamines, Basket weaves and Broadcloths; elaborately self-trimmed or in plain tailored styles, and are either unlined or made with nice dropskirts; all good material; not a one in the lot worth less than $15.00. Sale price..... $10.00

Second Day Midwinter Clearance

Black and Colored Dress Goods and Silks

As stated in our ad inaugurating this sale nearly every textile in these two great departments are given additional price reductions this week to quickly dispose of the bulk of stock in order that we may have plenty of shelf room to show the new spring goods which are now coming in by every express and freight. Many of these weaves will be as popular next season as this and it is an economical proposition to purchase one or more dress patterns now and lay away until next season.

Colored Dress Goods.

49c a yard — 27 inch All Wool Waistings—New dainty light colorings and dark shades; also cream, black and black and white. Patterns are fancy lace, satin, corded, applique and ribbon stripes; the weaves Granite, Prunellas, Serges and Louisenes. Regular $1. values

50c a yard — Pineapple Cloth and Venetians—Two popular weaves in colors and black. The Venetian has twill face with smooth back; the pineapple cloth has Crepe Granite effect; both are 36 inches wide, pure wool and 65c values.

75c a yard — 46-inch All Mohair Mistral—In the newest shades of tan, gray, green, royal and navy; also black. It is a coarse yet sheer weave, light weight and made to sell at $1.

$1.00 a yard — 45-inch Voilles and Mistrals—Two of the most popular materials for clingy gowns in popular colorings. The Mistral is coarse and rough with colored stripes, the Vielle a fine open mesh in flake effect. Both are $2.00 values.

Black Dress Goods

a yard 50c — 38-inch All Wool Black Venetian—Rich lustrous black, satin finish, small twill effect, firm weave, strictly pure wool and an actual 69c value.

89c a yard — 52-inch Black Cheviot Serge Lustrous black mohair nap; coarse twill effect; of hard twisted mohair wool, and sold up to now at $1.25.

Black Dress Goods Cont'd.

$1.25 a yard — 52-inch Black Pebble Cheviots—One of the finest of Cheviot weaves; coarse twill face with small curl; strictly pure wool; never sold under $1.75.

$1.50 a yard — 52-inch Black Imported Venetian and Broadcloths—Broadcloth a smooth weave with satin finished face; the Venetian smooth weave in twill effect. Both of these are actual $2.00 values and cannot be matched elsewhere for less.

Black Silks.

75c a yard — 20-inch Black Peau de Soie—An excellent weave; a true black; fine quality; satin finish face and gros grain back; guaranteed any shown in the city at $1.00.

$1.00 a yard — 27-inch Guaranteed Black Taffeta an excellent quality; fine finished; free from dressing, thoroughly guaranteed and actually sold up to now at $1.25.

$1.00 a yard — 20-inch Black Peau de Soie—A fine grade of imported silk, very heavy; free from dressing, fast dye; perfectly reliable; actual $1.25 value.

$1.50 a yard — Imported Black Peau de Soie—21 and 27-in. widths; these silks are our own importation; the 21-in. silk is rich satin face and back; the 27-in. silk is double faced, finished. Both of these are actual $2.00 values.

10c Toilet Paper, 5c.

"Wonder" Brand Toilet Paper—in rolls of 1000 sheets; good medicated paper; sells regularly at 10c but priced for Tuesday, limit 5 to a customer and no telephone orders, each 5c

69c Flannelette Gowns, 39c.

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns—fancy striped patterns; made in Mother Hubbard style; trimmed with finishing braid; the material is a specially good weave, 69c value. Tuesday leader.. 39c

SECOND FLOOR.

HAMBURGER'S UNDER-PRICE BASEMENT

Fleeced Flannelettes—good weight, good quality, short lengths suitable for wrappers and waists, per yard 5c

Percale Remnants—good colorings, good width and weight, choice lengths, priced at one-third off.

9 Quarter Bleached Sheeting—a heavy grade, very serviceable; price per yard 19c

Wrapper Flannel—good colorings and patterns, good width, actual 12½c value, per yard 8 1-3c

Shirting Prints—light colorings, pretty patterns; just the thing for boys' waists; per yard 4c

Turkish Bath Towels—small size, but very good quality and absorbent, price 5c

Ladies' Linen Collars—all sizes, worth 10c, sale price 2½c

10-yard Piece Velvet Ribbon—black only, popular widths, price 25c

45-inch Chiffons and Mousseline de Soie—good colorings, suitable for party dresses, per yard 25c

5-inch Silk Ribbons..pretty colorings, some in stripe patterns; 25c value, per yard 15c

Hand Mirrors—beveled edge in neat frame, price 12c

Men's Knit Underwear—heavy winter weight, good quality cotton; Derby ribbed, price 35c

36-inch Silkoline Remnants—good colors, pretty patterns, suitable lengths for drapery, per yard.... 8c

4 Quarter Tapestry Table Covers—popular size for center tables, pretty colorings and patterns, price 25c

White Bed Spreads—neat Marseilles pattern, for full-size bed, price 50c

Crochet Cotton—plain or mixed colors, per spool 1c

Cotton Comfort—full size, filled with good quality cotton, neatly tied, price 59c

8-inch Shelf Oil Cloth—usually sells at 5c, sale price per yard..... 2½c

Assorted Yarns—two skeins to a bunch, selected colors; price per bunch 5c

98c Meat Platters—medium and large size, plain white, pretty patterns, price 39c

25c Cuspidors—slightly chipped, but serviceable, choice 10c

Assortment 25c Glassware—plain with gold edges, choice 10c

Individual Vegetable Dishes—popular size for restaurant use, price..5c

Children's Boucle Coats—pretty colors, well made, perfect fitting, worth $2.00, price $1.50

Ladies' Muslin Chemise—prettily trimmed, well made, a leader at..25c

Ladies' Muslin Drawers — lace trimmed, neat styles, price 25c

35c Fancy Wool Plaids—popular colors and mixtures, are 38 inches wide and in popular plaid effects, per yard 19c

50c Wool Dress Goods—large and small plaids, camels hair nub yarn effect, also plain colors with small figures, per yard 25c

$1.00 All-wool Homespun Plaids—in mixtures of brown, blue, gray, green, tan; some in Scotch plaid effects, all 50 inches wide; per yard 39c

15c Honeycomb Towels, 10c.

An exceptionally fine grade Honeycomb Towel—1¼ yards long; good weight; neatly fringed and sells regularly at 15c. Specially featured for Tuesday only 10c

New Valentines.

But five more days to select Valentines. Our assortment is the best in the city; prices lowest. We can please any taste at from 1c to..... $5.00

Sale of Table Glassware.

Going through our stock since inventory, we have taken all odd lots and broken lines, among which the following will be especially featured for today's selling:

35c Tumblers—pressed glass, plain or fluted, per set of six 18c

25c Berry Bowls—pretty designs 8½ inch size, price 17c

35c Tumblers—plain lead blown 10 ounce size, set of six 24c

$1.75 4 Piece Table Set—Imitation cut glass, heavy gilt band decoration, per set $1.39

25c Oil and Vinegar Bottles—Colonial shape, ground stopper, price 15c

20c Pickle or Candy Tray—Colonial shape, price 12c

60c Water Pitcher—one-half gallon size, clear crystal, price 49c

35c Syrup Pitcher—large size, silver plated spring top, price 19c

50c Tumblers—lead blown, engraved pattern, set of six 39c

30c Footed Cake Dish—9-inch diameter, pressed pattern, price 19c

THIRD FLOOR.

Sheets and Cases.

Ready-made Sheets—2½ yds. wide by 2½ yards long, finished with 3 in. hem; they are of fine, soft finish muslin. Price each 55c

Ready-made Sheets—2½ yards wide by 2½ yds. long; an extra heavy grade of sheeting, absolutely free from dressing and will give thoroughly satisfactory wear. Price each..... 69c

Ready-made Pillow Cases—42x36 inches, fine, soft finished muslin; cannot be equaled in the city at this price of each..... 10c

Boys' Waists.

"Mother's Friend" Laundered Waists—heavy percales, attached or detached collars; plaited front and back; also shirtee waists in percales and madras; sizes 5 to 12 years; 75c values at 39c

Boys' 75c Blouses—French percales and madras; have large deep collars; plain shield fronts; pretty washable patterns in colors and stripes. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Price 50c

Boys' $1 Blouses—new style shirt blouses, rolling collar; attached cuffs; material plain white mercerized duck; also fancy blouses with sailor collars of French percale and madras; sizes 3 to 8 years. Price 69c

SECOND FLOOR.

Kimono Specials.

$3.50 Teasledown Kimonos—Extra long; are in fancy stripes with plain borders; finished with heavy cord and tassel to match. Tuesday.. ..... $2.98

$7.50 Kimonos—an assortment of fancy Japanese silk; large designs with plain borders; also plain and fancy French flannels with silk borders. Choice Tuesday... $4.98

$10.00 Japanese Dressing Sacques—all of fine silk, handsomely embroidered in dainty colorings; prettily quilted and finished with fancy silk cord frogs; any of them cheap at $10.00. Tuesday's price..... $7.95

SECOND FLOOR.

Rubber Goods.

2-qt. Hot Water Bag—Best quality white rubber; sell regularly at 75c. Priced for Tuesday at each 49c

50c Bulb Syringe—Goodrich No. 10; has 2 pipes and strong bulb. Priced Tuesday 29c

Mme. Baltz Syringe—Made from one piece thick white rubber; can not get out of order; regular price $1.50; Tuesday only 98c

"Royal" Steel Enameled Ware

Every good housekeeper appreciates the fact that enameled kitchen utensils are the most serviceable and that the "Royal" Steel Enameled Ware is one of the best makes. For today the following values will be featured.

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Fry Pan—10 inch diameter; long handle; 39c value at..... 39c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Berlin Pan—4 qt. size with handle and tin cover; regular price 54c. Sale price 39c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Rice or Milk Boiler—1½ qt size; regular price 85c. Sale price..... 69c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Tea or Coffee Pot—1½ qt. size; Granite cover and black wood handle; regular price 55c. Sale price 39c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Dish Pan—14-quart size with handles; regular price 65c. Sale price 49c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Muffin Pan—six hole, regular price 35c. Sale price 29c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Bread Pan—size 5x10 in., regular price 33c. Sale price 24c

Royal Steel Enameled Granite Pudding Pan—3-quart size, regular price 25c. Sale price 19c

THIRD FLOOR.